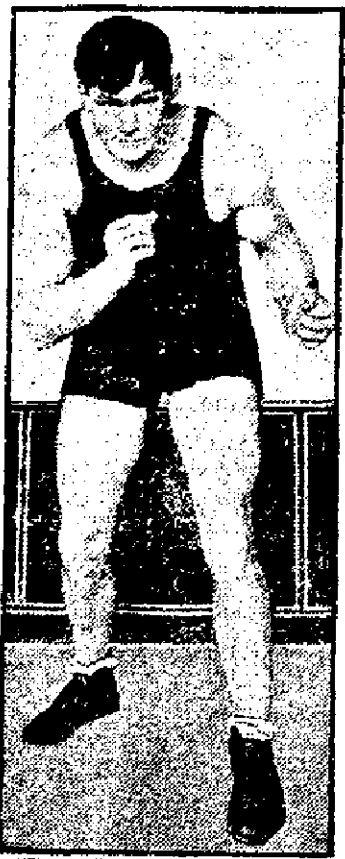


It'll Grow Long



"Tartan" Larkin, 202-pound Minnesota lumberjack, says he will not cut his hair until he is heavyweight champ. He recently won two matches at Jersey City and wants a match with Dempsey.

Wanderers vs Co. 1 at C. A. A. Meeting.

Extensive plans are being made for the meeting of the Community Athletic association at the armory on January 26 at which the manager selected to lead the city's baseball team into fields of greater glory will be presented to the fans. There will be a basketball game between the Wanderers and Company 1 of Walton, the excellence of which is assured by the records of both teams. A Dutch luncheon and entertainment, the nature of which will be announced at a later date. The new manager will surely be present to lead in the discussion of plans for the coming season.

Miford Center Home Bureau.

The Miford Center Home Bureau will meet with Mrs. Floyd Bates Tuesday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Bates will demonstrate first aid. Each member is asked to answer roll call with their best remedy for colds. It is important that all members be present as the work for next year will be planned at this meeting.

Ira Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Ontario, Feb. 6. Carter hotel, Norwich, Feb. 9. advt. 11

Fine job printing at the Herald office.

UNADILLA WAS THERE

High School Lads Continue Fine Work, Defeating Oxford.

Oxford, Jan. 15.—In one of the best games ever played on a local court the Oxford academy team on Friday night took a lead from the Unadilla High school quintet, 25-17. The visitors started scoring right off the bat and while holding the academy boys to four foul goals in the first half rang up 20 points themselves. In the second half the Oxford boys stiffened their defense but were unable to overcome the U. H. S. lead.

UNADILLA	PTS.	REB.	T.P.
Thompson, R.	12	4	1
Clark, J.	10	3	2
Graham, J.	8	2	1
Potter, W.	6	1	0
Stella, J.	4	1	0
Totals	40	11	4
OXFORD	PTS.	REB.	T.P.
Medallin, R.	12	4	1
Edwards, H.	10	3	2
Raitt, C.	8	2	1
Teak, J.	6	1	0
Stewart, J.	4	1	0
Totals	40	11	4

Summary: Referee, Estolow, Campbell, Conrad. Fouls called, On C. H. S. 12, on Oxford, 7.

Y. M. C. A. BOWLING SUMMARY.

Cubs Lead Field on Resumption of Tournament After Holiday Recess.

The Cubs took up the lead when the winter bowling tournament was resumed at the Y. M. C. A. last week after the holiday recess. The standings of the five leading teams, as announced Saturday, follow:

Gained Won Lost Pts.				
Cubs	27	18	9	667
Giants	25	18	12	690
Pirates	24	15	15	599
Red Sox	27	13	14	481

The high total for one game is held by the Giants, whose record is 924, while the Pirates have the best three-game total, 2,547.

In the column of individual averages, the 15 leading bowlers are announced with their averages, as follows: Bosworth 184, Lambros 186, Thomas 183, Forner 181, Beckstead 177, Babbitt 176, McKenn 173, Graves 178, Hotelling 170, Wentcott 170, Shaw 169, Broese 165, Lattin 168, Mathews 168, Skinner 165.

Bosworth holds the tournament record for the best single-game total—254—while Thomas still maintains the lead for three games, his mark being 548.

Lost—Tuesday evening, near Oneonta theatre, Masonic watch charm. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 2 East street or phone 478. advt. 21

Old papers for shelves and floors, 10 cents per hundred of 50 at The Star office.

WALL STREET HAS A CONSTRUCTIVE WEEK

Easier Money, Further Heavy Liquidation of Credits, and Indications of a Business Revival

New York, Jan. 15.—Greater ease of money than at any corresponding period in several years, further heavy liquidation of frozen credits, and indications of business revival were the constructive features of the week's financial markets.

Less encouraging aspects of the early days of the new year were presented by the European situation. It was considered noteworthy, however, that foreign exchanges, with few exceptions, actually strengthened in the face of the French political crisis.

The resignation of the Brand ministry and its implications in relation to the arms conference, the Cannes party, and the proposed Genoa assembly, were nevertheless the principal subjects of discussion and concern among international bankers.

Stocks, other than a few specialties which declined to so-called "pecuniary prices," moved to higher ground after several days of hesitation.

The small gain in December tonnage reported by the United States Steel corporation caused little surprise. It was generally known in trade circles that independent producers had been operating at less than 50 per cent of capacity in the final month of 1921.

Forecasts of better business conditions are based largely on authoritative statements that most annual inventories involving drastic deflation have been taken. Further reduction of grain and cotton bills is evidenced by lower discount and interest rates fixed by the Federal Reserve banks at Minneapolis and Dallas.

Comparatively few new underwritings were announced during the week and these were chiefly in the nature of state or municipal offerings, including a \$5,000,000 Louisiana bond issue. Cuban and South American financial projects are impending, but new European credits are said to hinge on the outcome of the Anglo-French situation.

New York Produce.

Butter—First receipts, 7,392 cwt., higher than extras, 35¢; 34¢; creamery extras 32¢; 31¢; 30¢; 29¢; 28¢; 27¢; 26¢; 25¢; 24¢; 23¢; 22¢; 21¢; 20¢; 19¢; 18¢; 17¢; 16¢; 15¢; 14¢; 13¢; 12¢; 11¢; 10¢; 9¢; 8¢; 7¢; 6¢; 5¢; 4¢; 3¢; 2¢; 1¢; 0¢.

New York Meats.

Cattle—Receipts, 640; no trading. Calves—Receipts, 350; steady; common to prime veals, \$3.50@4; little calves and culls, \$3@8. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,420; steady; prime lambs, \$13.75.

Chicago Grain.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	111½	111½	110½	111½
July	100	100½	99½	100½
CORN—				
May	55½	55½	55½	55½
July	54½	54½	54½	54½
OATS—				
May	35½	35½	35	35½
July	30	30½	29½	30

ONEONTA MARKET.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Wheat bran	\$1.82
Buckwheat, cwt.	\$2.50
Oats per bu.	.57
Ground oats	\$1.78
Poultry grains	\$2.08
Gluten feed	\$2.66
Corn meal, cwt.	\$1.42
Cracked corn, cwt.	\$1.42
Corn, per bu. old	.76
Table meal	\$4.50
Corn and oats	\$1.50

Arrested Twice in Week.

On January 7 Selean Koury was arrested at the home of his father in this city on a warrant issued by Special City Judge Bedford Hrus of Binghamton and charging non-support. The man was taken to Binghamton but a few days later he showed up in Oneonta again. On Saturday he was arrested for the second time by local officers on another warrant sent up from Binghamton. Koury claims that he was released on bail to await a hearing on February 14, but it seems probable to the local department that the date was January 14 and that his non-appearance caused the second warrant to be issued. The man was taken to Binghamton Saturday evening by an officer from that city.

Increased Power Rates in Stamford.

West Branch Light & Power company has filed the following amended schedule of power rates:

Electricity supplied in villages of Hobart and Stamford and hamlet of South Gibbs, in town of Stamford, Delaware county. Book rate for consumption for power in excess of 1,500 kw. h. per month increased from 40 to 50 per kw. h. New classification for power service, available to consumers requiring service only during period June 1 to September 1, provides for a guarantee of \$1 per kw. h. per month, and straight line rate of 100 per kw. h. for current consumed, effective January 1, 1922.

Not a County Charge.

In justice to the family of George Bates, who was found in a semiconscious condition beside the D. and O. track on Thursday night and who on Friday was taken to the county farm, it should be stated that it was not from luck or any one to look after or care for him. His brothers are able and willing to do, but he is of a roving disposition and in his old age is unwilling to remain long in any place. He is a veteran of the Civil War and in receipt of a pension abundant for his needs, and was taken to the county farm as a past inmate. He is past 75 years of age.

For sale—Six young cows, three purchased Jersey of Ayer and New Kinnay stock, all to freshen soon. Inquire John R. Todd, Oneonta, N. Y. advt. 31

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U. S. Bonds	294,246.59
Banking House	10,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from Banks	30,475.22
Cash, Cash Items and Due from U. S.	
Treasurer	17,736.76
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Otsego County News

DEATH AT COOPERSTOWN.

Mr. Maria Lynch Murphy, widow of Daniel Murphy, Passes Away.
Cooperstown, Jan. 15. — Mrs. Maria Lynch Murphy, long baggage-master at the D. & H. station here, who died about a year since, died Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at Thanksgiving hospital. She had been in failing health since the death of her late husband. She was born in Ireland, but came to this country when about 15 years of age, making her home for some time with relatives at Fly Creek. She had lived in Cooperstown nearly 50 years. She is survived by five daughters, Misses Margaret and Mary Murphy and Mrs. Edward J. King of Cooperstown and Mrs. William Cosgrove and Miss Regina Murphy both of Albany and by one son, William Lynch of this village.

The funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 10 o'clock, from the Catholic church, Our Lady of the Lake, with Rev. Father Patrick Crowe, officiating. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Sustains Fractured Wrist.

Mrs. Burke, an employee of the laundry at the Knox school, accidentally fell down a short flight of stairs at the school a day or two since and fractured her left arm at the wrist. She is at Thanksgiving hospital.

Funeral Sunday.

The funeral of George VanNort was held from his late home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. M. L. Yates officiated. The body was taken to Fly Creek and placed in the receiving vault there. Mr. VanNort's wife was formerly Miss Agnes Maloney of Binghamton.

LATEST VICINITY NOTES.

Interesting Items Clipped from Columns of Exchanges and Condensed.

George W. Morris, formerly a line-man with the Otsego & Delaware Telephone company, in Oneonta, is now a sergeant in the regular army and is located at Honolulu. His wife, who had been at her former home in Cherry Valley, has joined him in the Hawaiian Islands.

The Cherry Valley Gazette has installed a new press and its latest issue compares favorably in typographical appearance, as it always has in local newsiness, with any local exchange.

At a meeting of representatives of the American Legion held recently at Syracuse, plans were made for the taking over of many patriotic activities conducted by the Grand Army whenever an account of advancing age and decreasing numbers of the latter organization is obliged to give them up.

In the five months prior to January 1 in which the Unadilla Public library has been operating, there have been 308 borrowers and 2,202 books have been loaned. The total number of volumes now in the library is 1,725.

Rev. D. Francis Curtin has been appointed by Bishop Grimes of the Utica diocese as pastor of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church at Oxford.

Francis W. Hopkins, who died at Oxford January 7, was born and had always resided on the farm where he died. He was 87 years of age.

The Butternut Town Cooperative Insurance company paid total losses of \$3,530 last year. It has \$1,197,000 of insurance in force, which is an increase of \$42,000 over the previous year.

Walter S. Sanford has been elected president of the St. Lawrence National bank, succeeding the late George M. Bixson. Mr. Sanford had been cashier for 15 years before being elected to the presidency.

North Norwich wants electric lights, either from Sherburne or Norwich. Norwich refuses to come up at any price and Sherburne has offered to supply current providing the entire installation is borne by local subscribers, poles, wire and labor estimated at \$1,000 a mile, or costing \$2,500 from the Titus farm to North Norwich.

The total disbursements of the Delaware county Red Cross last year were \$2,165.77, and there is \$137.12 on hand. There are fifteen branches of the Red Cross in the county.

Harold Prince, an Endicott boy, was killed in a coasting accident on January 8. He was coasting down from Round Top, about half a mile and attempted to make the turn into West Main street. He failed, and his sled crashed into the side of an automobile, fracturing his skull.

At the last meeting of the town board of Jefferson it was voted that hereafter the town should assume full control of the Col. Judd park, and the necessary money for its upkeep was provided.

The dairymen of Norwich and vicinity received \$32,000 for December milk. Of this \$16,000 was from pools and \$16,000 from non-poolers.

Four Hamilton calf dealers were arrested at the station the first of the week. Each of the four had shipped a bob veal on the morning train. An inspector stepped off the train and punched them all.

Old papers for shelves and floors, 10 cents per bundle of 50, at The Star office.

RECALLS DAYS OF MEXICAN EMPIRE

American Widow of a Diplomat Talks of Days of Maximilian and Charlotte.

IS MORE THAN 80 YEARS OLD

Former Lady in Waiting Describes Emperor as "Beautiful Character, Sympathetic and Capable, but Too Amiable."

Mexico City.—A shriveled, gray-haired little woman, almost blind and living wholly alone, sits all day in her chair before the window of her tiny apartment in Mexico City and dreams of the days of the Mexican empire when the Austrian Archduke Maximilian ruled the destinies of the nation from 1864 to 1867. She is Senora Marie Ornela Jordon de Degollado, scion of an old Virginia family and wife of the late Sen. Mariana Degollado, member of a family famous in Mexican history.

During the time, tragic years of Maximilian's reign she was a lady in waiting to Empress Charlotte, the "sad princess of Europe," and to the correspondent she recently recalled some interesting memories of court days during the Mexican empire.

Praise for Maximilian. Maximilian, the ill-fated Austrian prince, who was set up as head of the empire by Napoleon III, in 1864, and three years later was shot as an usurper by order of the Mexican president, Juarez, was described by Senora Degollado as "a beautiful character, sympathetic and capable, but too amiable to govern a nation of malcontents."

Empress Charlotte, daughter of Leopold I, King of the Belgians, who is still living in Brussels, according to Senora Degollado, was "an ambitious genius, who was always striving to advance her husband, and whose mind became unbalanced when she found the path blocked." Senora Degollado has never seen the empress since she departed from Mexico City in July, 1866, to plead the cause of the empire before the French monarch and later to go to Rome to attempt to secure the good offices of the pope.

So far as she knows no direct word has been received in Mexico from Charlotte in more than fifteen years, and that only an incoherent note to the wife of a former high Mexican official.

"The empress left hurriedly on her European trip," said Senora Degollado, who, despite her 80-odd years, retains a remarkably clear memory. "and was accompanied only by her personal maids. For many days prior to her departure, there were evidences of her falling reason, and we were not surprised to hear of her acute affliction several months later. I am positive that there is absolutely no truth in the reports that she was poisoned before she left Mexico. And the emperor! He was possessed of very kind element of nature. He was too good. He listened to treacherous advice and was shot. That day was an evil one for Mexico."

Fled to Guatemala. Senora Degollado was in Mexico City when Maximilian was shot in Queretaro, and although she had an opportunity to view the body before it was shipped to Vienna, she declined, preferring to remember him as she knew him. Within a few days after the emperor's death, she and her husband fled to Guatemala, where they lived for several years until Porfirio Diaz became president of Mexico.

Born in Norfolk, Va., Miss Marie Jordan went to Washington with her father during the early days of the Civil war, and there met Mariana Degollado, who was attached to the Mexican embassy. They were married in Washington and later came to Mexico, where her husband's father, Gen. Santos Degollado, was one of the most prominent men of the day. A street and plaza in Mexico City still bear his name.

Senora Degollado believes that she is the last survivor of the court favorites of the Emperor Maximilian.

RACE ON ISLAND FAST DYING

Disease Reduces Population of Marquesas From 100,000 to 1,800 in 50 Years.

Honolulu, T. H.—Tremendous decreases in the native population of the Marquesas Islands, 2,000 miles south by east of the Hawaiian archipelago, have resulted from the ravages of disease and the adoption of many modern customs recently, according to Dr. G. S. Handy, ethnologist of the Bishop museum here, who spent nine months on the islands gathering data on the origin of the Polynesian race, habits and customs of the natives, and their ethnology and anthropology.

"Fifty years ago the Marquesas Islanders probably numbered between 50,000 and 100,000," Doctor Handy said. "Today there are only about 1,800 natives. Smallpox and pokoko, a particularly swift and virulent form of tuberculosis, played havoc among them."

Wrong Man in Prison. Nashville, Tenn.—After spending eight years in prison here for the murder of George Wehman, recluse of Union City, Frank Dietzel was pardoned. Governor Taylor said he had received convincing evidence that Dietzel was not guilty.

The Lucky Man. No man ought to sleep sounder or have sweeter dreams than he who owns his own farm and has his debts all paid.

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(Editor of McClure's Magazine)

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IRON, SHIPS, FOODSTUFFS.

Statistics for 1921 continue to come in in all branches of business. Among others, those compiled by the Iron Trade Review show that the world's iron and steel production sank for the year to a low level, which may never again be equalled.

In 1912 the world produced almost twice as much steel and more than twice as much pig iron as last year—namely, 74,600,000 tons of ingots against 40,700,000 last year; and 75,594,000 tons of pig iron against 35,810,000 last year. At the highest point of war production, the steel output reached 82,550,000 gross tons. Today, the world's pig iron capacity is probably about 75,000,000 tons, and steel output about 80,000,000 tons.

One of our exports of iron and steel turned from a low level starting with September and gradually worked higher, reaching a total in November of 122,825 long tons—20,000 tons in excess of October's figures. Exports for the eleven months total 2,959,723 tons—a rate for the year which would represent about 17 per cent of the total tonnage exported in the year 1920.

The United States today has a smaller percentage of the world's shipbuilding than before the war, according to Lloyd's Register of Shipping. Three months ago France, Holland and Italy were constructing tonnage than this country, but now each of them is building more. The decline in shipbuilding extends throughout the world, and at present is more than 1,000,000 gross tons less for the quarter ending December 31, 1921, than for the preceding quarter. The British output dropped off 640,000 tons, the American about 210,000 tons, and other countries combined about 225,000 tons. The total world's tonnage under way at present is 3,335,093 and is rapidly approaching the pre-war figure—on June 30, 1914, it was 2,946,000 gross tons. The present British total is 1,018,000 tons, and in 1914 was 1,747,000 tons. In the United States the present total is 210,000 tons, compared with 148,000 tons before the war.

The United States exported 31,000,000 pounds of foodstuffs during the last year—over three times as much as before the war (8,000,000 pounds), according to the Department of Commerce. Of meat products, we exported, during 1921, about 80 per cent more than the pre-war average; of vegetable oils practically six times as much, and of dairy products about 11 times as much. The report adds: "That exports still continue heavy in volume is shown by the fact that for the new wheat crop beginning July 1st, we have exported 181,000,000 bushels, against pre-war average of 71,000,000 bushels, or about two and one-half times as much. We have exported about eight times as much rye and three times as much corn since November 1.

WORK SHOWS GOOD PROGRESS

Here Are Some Facts Regarding Junior Extension Projects in New York State.

Ithaca, Jan. 15.—The following facts regarding Junior Extension, or Junior Project work, as carried on in New York during 1921 were made public today.

The work was conducted in 44 counties. Sixteen of these counties employed paid county leaders to organize and supervise the work. Three counties employed two full-time leaders, eight employed one full-time leader and five employed leaders on half-time. In the other 28 counties the work was conducted voluntarily by county agricultural and home demonstration agents, teachers of vocational agriculture and home making and interested individuals in cooperation with district superintendent of schools. A total of 15,964 boys and girls were regularly enrolled for the work. More than 70 per cent were in the 16 counties employing paid leadership.

Financial Support.

The work is supported financially by local funds supplemented by state and federal funds. A maximum of \$1,200 of state and federal funds is available when one full-time leader is employed.

Local or county funds are usually obtained by appropriations by county board of supervisors. The average appropriation by boards of supervisors is \$2,774.03.

Other sources of local funds are banks and county bankers' associations, town and county fair associations, county improvement associations, chambers of commerce, school boards, and private subscriptions. The average amount from these sources in organized counties is \$1,326.48.

The average budget for counties employing one or more full-time leaders is \$4,723.61.

The total value of products reported by Junior extension workers in 1920 was \$158,144.70. The cost of production was \$124,748.55.

No Fists for Two.

The former prime minister of Hungary, Count Stephen Tisza, has refused to fight a duel with Count Sigismund, one of the most powerful supporters of the Emperor Charles. He states in explanation that the "insult" for which Count Sigismund challenged him—namely, that he had charged the count with treason—was not the act of an individual, but of the head of the state, and that the head of the state is such that it is not right to fight a duel. The matter was one to be decided by the courts instead of by ordering swords and pistols for two. —[New York Tribune.]

THE PRESS AND THE PUBLIC

Old Time Panics.

Here's a page from an old diary: "September 18, 1873—Jay Cook & Co., bankers of New York, fail. A financial panic is precipitated. The New York Clearing House is forced to suspend. The presidents of the banks meet in council to devise ways of relief. President Grant declines to accede to the bankers' request to aid the banks with the treasury balance of \$44,000,000. It is made on banks and private bankers, and many strong houses fail during the ensuing ten days."

Americans lately have been talking about business depression. Compared with some of the old time panics, maddening is easy. Get grandpa to tell you about 1873. Then you'll appreciate the Federal Reserve banking system, the shock absorber.—[Union Herald-Dispatch.]

Nation's Greatest Port.

It is important, if it is desirable that the port of New York be developed—and we believe it is—that the work be done without politics in the intelligent, capable, comprehensive manner that is contemplated in the splendid plan that the bi-state commission offers as the result of its four years' work.—[Schenectady Union-Star.]

Auto vs. Horse.

The boy who can take an automobile to pieces, repair it and put it together, can hardly be expected to express rapturous admiration when I tell him of my experiences as a hostler. My labors with the currycomb and brush and the cleaning of the stable do not establish me in his mind as a heroic figure. To him the horse is all but negligible, a ridiculous beast bound for the museum of natural history and already maddened and the automobile, if pressed, I should be obliged to admit that an automobile is a far more delightful medium of transportation than the horse.—[Meredith Nicholson in Harper's Magazine for December.]

State Situation.

The passing of a political dynasty involves all manner of speculation, but there is no occasion for Republicans in Pennsylvania to be seriously perturbed over the situation created by the sudden death of Senator Penrose. His death has left a great void in the leadership, of course, but it does not follow that there cannot be found those sufficiently trained and well grounded in the principles of the party ready to grasp the colors and fitted to carry them forward.—[Harrisburg Telegram.]

Keeping Business From Graft.

Investigation in several cities of a number of industries having to do with the building trades has resulted recently in the imposition of full sentences upon various individuals. . . .

Business is far too powerful a weapon of public welfare to be allowed to become incriminated with abuse. The very existence of the race depends upon its being in the main clean. There is no known substitute to do the work of the world.—[Saturday Evening Post.]

Trial of Western Statesmanship.

If the agricultural bloc succeeds in swiftness the Republican party, it may raise new issues and bring about such changes in the party aspect that President Harding will find it difficult to recognize it as his own at the end of his administration. On the other hand, it is more likely that he will gently and wisely guide it along lines of real development and progress in accord with his views. But however that may be, western statesmanship, rather than eastern, will have the direction of domestic legislation in the senate.—[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

What About Gas?

The production of crude oil a week of oil in the United States surpassed all previous records, the figure for the week being 1,407,750 barrels—and gasoline is made of crude oil.

The reason that a record was hung up is because a new oil field has been discovered and put at work, the Mexico field in Texas. At the same time, there never was so much crude oil in storage. This is a happy situation for the 10,000,000 persons who drive automobiles and trucks.—[Utica Observer.]

Fingers Bitten by Dog.

Charles Sheldon of 47 London avenue had several fingers torn by the teeth of his pet water spaniel while playing with the dog at his home Saturday evening. Dr. Hendrick cauterized the wounds, which, it is not expected, will prove serious as the dog showed no symptoms of being mad. Mr. Sheldon was tending the dog and was not quite quick enough in removing his hand from the animal's reach.

Wells Given Suspended Sentence.

The case of Leonard J. Wells, ex-tobacco dealer, who was arrested Wednesday on charge of vagrancy and whose counsel requested a postponement when he was arraigned Thursday morning, was brought up in City Court Saturday. A sentence of 60 days in the Albany penitentiary was imposed by Judge Huntington but was suspended upon condition that the man pay all of the debts he owes locally.

Enjoyable Surprise Party.

About forty of the friends and neighbors of Mrs. D. J. Sullivan gave her a surprise birthday party at her home, 20 1/2 Division street, last evening. A delicious luncheon added to the pleasures of the evening. Mrs. Sullivan was the recipient of many presents of cut glass and silver.

Wanted—Good reliable worker for

keeper of Glenwood cemetery, Oneonta, N. Y. Near public school; street cars run to State Normal school; desirable residence; city water; suite road. One of the finest cemeteries between Albany and Binghamton. Personal interview desired. D. A. Defendorf, Wilber National Bank. Phone 371.

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Recreation club dance at High school tonight. Instruction for beginners from 8 to 8:45 by John Canning. Dancing 8:45 to 11. Syncopators' orchestra. Admission, 25 cents a person. advt. m-11

Phone 371 or 688-J for closed taxi or light truck. L. King. advt. 6t

NEW COMMANDERY FORMED

Dispensation from Grand Commander Hanford Creates Otsego Commandery, Knights Templar, at Cooperstown—Oneonta in Its Jurisdiction and Many from City Are Charter Members.

Of great interest to members of the Masonic fraternity in Oneonta and Otsego county is the announcement that Right Emulent George C. Hanford, grand commander of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, of the State of New York, has granted a dispensation for a new Commandery at Cooperstown, to be known as Otsego Commandery. The officers named in the dispensation, who are charged with the responsibility of organizing the new Commandery, are: M. E. Lippitt, eminent commander; Burton G. Johnson, generalissimo; and George H. Carley, captain general.

The formation of Otsego Commandery is one of the most important events in the Masonic history of this vicinity and is the culmination of planning and intensive work dating back nearly a year. It was necessary to gain the consent of the Commanderies from whose jurisdictions the new body would have to draw its members, but that was soon accomplished when Grand Commander Hanford visited Cooperstown last August, at the time of the Masonic fair, and voiced his approval, after a personal investigation of conditions and an inspection of Masonic hall, in which the new Commandery will meet, the success of the project was assured.

Otsego Commandery will have within its jurisdiction nearly all of Otsego county and a part of Delaware and Schoharie counties. Oneonta will be included within the jurisdiction, the dispensation transferring it from the jurisdiction of Norwich Commandery. There are about 100 Knights Templar in the city, and it is expected that most of them will desert from their mother Commanderies to Otsego. Most of the Oneonta Knights are now members of the body at Norwich, but quite a few, especially among the older members, belong to Malta Commandery at Binghamton.

There are 25 charter members of the new Commandery, 15 of them living in Oneonta. Nearly all of the Oneonta men belonged to Norwich, while the charter members residing in Cooperstown were most of them members of the Little Falls Commandery. On January 22, meeting of the charter members will be held at Cooperstown, at which time details of organization will be perfected. It will take some weeks to get the necessary paraphernalia, but it is expected that the first class will be initiated in March or April. With the large number of Sir Knights and eligible candidates residing within the jurisdiction of the new Commandery, there seems to be no reason why the organization should not soon boast of at least 100 members and be as flourishing as are its contemporaries in the state.

ONEONTA MAN BANKRUPT.

Lewis Leon Simmons Files Voluntary Petition in Federal Court.

Utica, Jan. 15.—Lewis Leon Simmons, a trumpan of 227 Chestnut street, Oneonta, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in federal court here Friday with unsecured liabilities of \$610 and assets of \$260 exempt from paying debts. The assets included a U. S. uniform and a helmet. The petition was filed through Attorney John G. Johnson.

Among the 16 creditors are A. E. Pierce, \$107; W. O. Brannaman, \$5; McFay & Sons, \$25; Fred Campbell, \$29; Morris Bros., \$53; Spragg & Turner, \$40; Max Greenburg, \$10; H. W. Sheldon, \$12; Dr. Brand, \$5; Francis Motor Sales company, \$8; A. M. Butts, \$24; Oneonta Herald, \$8, and Randall & Clute, \$19; all of Oneonta and Fred Joyce of Unadilla, \$130.

Firm Campaign in Delaware.

The Farm Bureau campaign for membership in Delaware will be started in a short time throughout the county. Though the county, like most others throughout the state, has gone on a \$5 annual membership basis, it is believed that it can easily be put across. This is indicated by the fact that Town Campaign Manager Harper of Hagersfield has canvassed a portion of his township and has secured a 50 per cent increase over last year.

A. L. Wall Declared Insane.

Alfred L. Wall of 42 East End avenue, well-known in the city as a sign painter and decorator, has been adjudged insane by Drs. F. H. Marx and N. W. Getman and on Saturday papers were signed by Justice A. L. Kellogg committing him to the State hospital at Binghamton. He will be taken there by a hospital attendant this morning. For two years past his conduct has not been normal but it was not until recently that his condition occasioned alarm among his relatives and friends.

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CANNOT BE OVERESTIMATED.

"The value of a virile and energetic Chamber of Commerce to any city cannot be overestimated. The citizen who fails to lend his support to his local civic and business organization is neglecting the interest of his community and consequently his own interest, and is lacking in public spirit and civic pride." Attorney General Daugherty.

LEGION COMMITTEE MEETS

County Organization of American Legion Elects Local Men Officers for 1922.

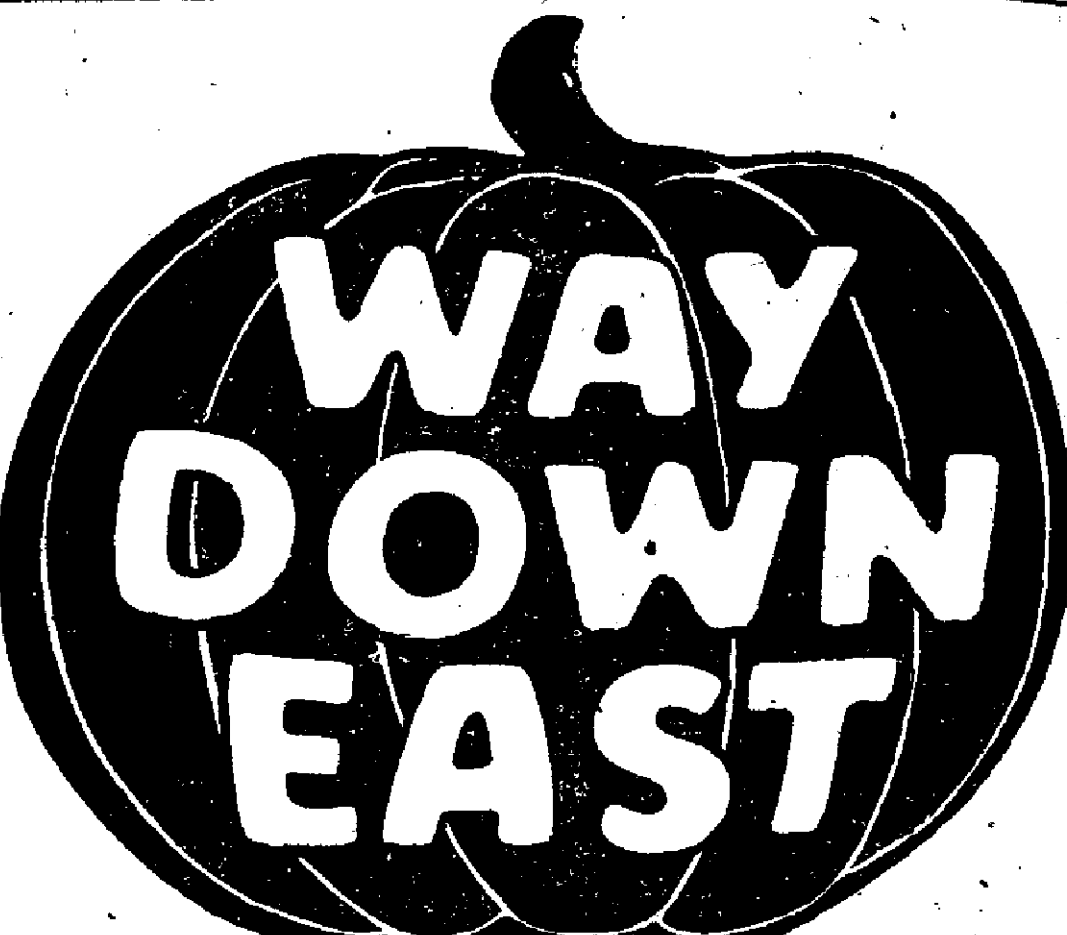
The first quarterly meeting for 1922 of the Otsego County committee of the American Legion was held in this city yesterday afternoon, five of the seven members of the committee being present. Oneonta post was represented by Ralph S. Wyckoff, John A. Sitts and Herbert C. Getman. Unadilla post by Mr. Mills and the post at Elchfield by Luther Ferguson. The other two posts in the county, located at Cooperstown and Worcester, sent no representatives.

The meeting was held for the purpose of organization, the following officers being chosen:

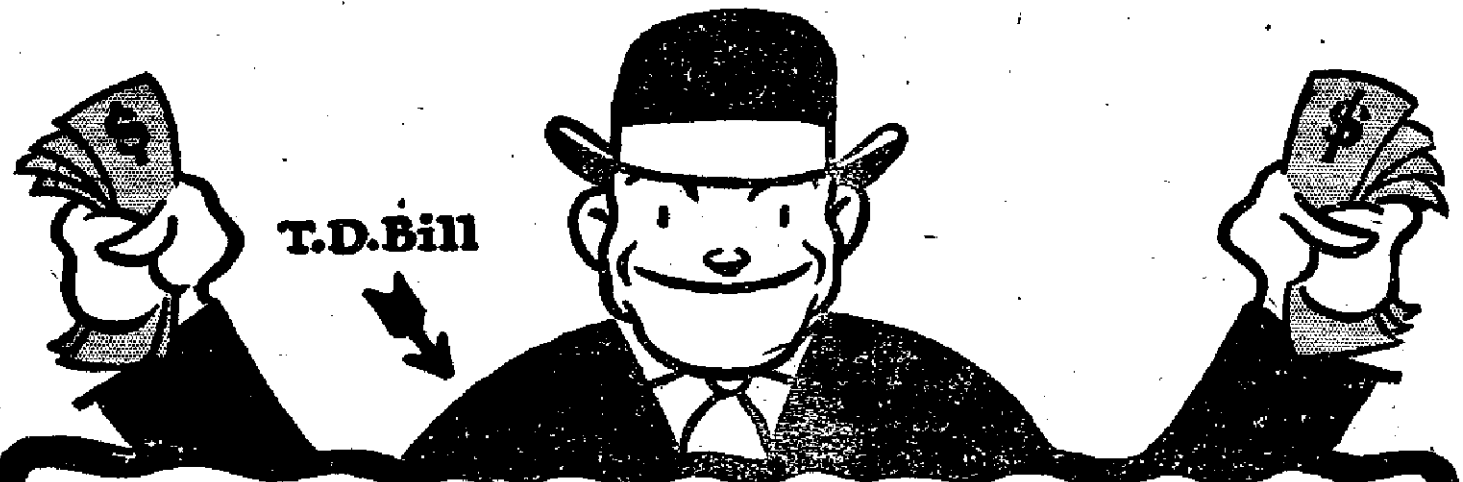
Chairman—Ralph S. Wyckoff. Secretary—John A. Sitts. Treasurer—Herbert C. Getman. A resolution was adopted providing that the members of the committee visit each post in the county at least once during the year.

A Bargain.

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"The Last Man" is the stirring story of a feud—a feud waged between two warring families who only realized its utter futility when it was too late. In the grip of a relentless code of loyalty to their own people, they fought the war of the Tonto men, desperately, doggedly to the end, and through it all runs the golden thread of a clean man's love for a pure woman.

Leading the rebels against Lee and his band of cattle rustlers was Jean Isabel, who at the same time found himself madly in love with a girl from whom he was apparently separated by an impassable barrier.

There is a situation based on fact, that Zane Grey has handled supreme. All of the literary quality that has characterized Zane Grey's former books has been embodied and enhanced in "The Last Man."

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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

8 a. m.	21
2 p. m.	28
8 p. m.	25
Maximum 49	Minimum 14

Saturday's Record.

8 a. m.	9
2 p. m.	24
8 p. m.	17
Maximum 26	Minimum 8

LOCAL MENTION

The Oneonta club smoker has been postponed from Wednesday evening of this week until Wednesday evening of next week on account of the repairs being made at the club.

No one appeared to take the state civil service examinations scheduled for Saturday last in Oneonta. Two were scheduled, one for library assistant and the other for assistant civil engineer.

The candy sale held at Huston's Drug store Saturday afternoon by the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church was well patronized and added \$3 to the organization's treasury.

Mayor C. C. Miller has reappointed Sheldon H. Close as registrar of vital statistics for the city for a period of five years. This office is independent of that of city clerk and the incumbent must meet with the approval of the state department of health. Mr. Close's reappointment is in recognition of his faithful performance of the duties in past years.

A very interesting session of the Burroughs club was held on Saturday last with Mrs. Harry M. Gould as hostess. The paper for the evening was by Mrs. Merton L. Ford. Her theme was "The Grand Canyon of Colorado," and her remarks were illustrated by many views of the canyon, taken from points of scenic interest. The next meeting of the club will be held in February with Mrs. O. C. McCrum.

HIGHWAY MEETING IN CITY

County Officials and General Public Invited to Session on Thursday.

The State Highway commission has given notice that there will be a public meeting on Thursday of this week at 1 p. m. in Municipal hall in this city. The purpose of the meeting is to furnish such general information and instruction as may be necessary regarding the construction, improvement or maintenance of the highways and bridges and the application of the highway law, and the rules and regulations of the department, and also for the purpose of hearing complaints. This notice is given pursuant to the provisions of the highway law, and all officials whose duty it is to attend such meetings are expected to be present, and all other officials and the general public are urged to attend if interested in highway matters.

County Superintendent V. L. Hoke, who on Tuesday and Wednesday attended the County Superintendent's conference at Albany, will preside at the meeting on Thursday, and the speakers of the day will include Fred Buck of Afton, representing the state department in town highway work, and Van Lawyer of Cobleskill, district supervisor of highways. This is the annual meeting held by the State Highway department in Otsego county, and it is the intention to make it of interest and benefit to the whole county.

Meetings Today.

Stated communication, Oneonta Lodge, No. 466, P. & A. M., tonight at 8 o'clock. Work, Master Mason degree.

Special meeting, Master of Ben Hur Monday evening.

Regular meeting of B. R. C. in Trainmen's hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Full attendance.

Regular meeting of Rose camp, No. 227, Woodmen of the World, in Fireman's hall at 7 p. m. sharp. All members requested to be present.

Bible Study class, group 4, will meet tonight with Mrs. Terrell, 110 Spruce street.

Regular meeting of Cho Al Art society Monday evening, January 16, at 7:30, at Municipal hall.

Regents' Examinations Today.

Regents' examinations will be held in the following subjects at the High school building today:

9:15 a. m. Intermediate algebra, advanced algebra, solid geometry, shorthand 1 and 2, elementary representation.

1:15 p. m. Elementary English, English 2, 3, 4.

At the State Normal school, where Regents' examinations are held in elementary subjects only, the only examinations scheduled for today is Elementary English at 1:15 p. m.

Woman's Club.

All club members are invited to attend the district meeting called by Mrs. Mary McKinnon, chairman of the sixth district, to be held at the Monday afternoon club house in Binghamton next Wednesday, January 18. Members planning to attend will please notify Mrs. Howard Flehrer before noon today.

Commercial Travelers' Meeting.

Oneonta council, No. 385, United Commercial Travelers, have planned a next regular meeting at Odd Fellows hall Friday evening, Jan. 20. Owing to the Knights of Binghamton holding their meeting the same evening, the commercial travelers will hold their meeting at 7 o'clock sharp. It will be a short and snappy session so that they may get through in ample time for those who desire to attend the other meeting. Let every member be on hand early so that the meeting may be opened promptly at 7 o'clock. Initiation of several candidates. adv 11

Here's a new one—Read and then consider.

Fifty acres, good house, basement barn and hen house, running water to house and barn, within six miles of city, nearly all state road, price \$2,200 on easy terms. Smith & Pansler, 130 Main street. adv 21

For Rem.

Oneonta Training Academy hall for social functions and private dances. For reservations call or write C. J. Gilligan, Oneonta hotel. adv 61

Wanted Maple Syrup at Palmer's grocery. adv 21

Plumbing and heating at Fred M. Baker's hardware. adv 21

CAMPAIGN OPENS TODAY

Two Days Intensive Effort to Maintain Membership in Oneonta Chamber of Commerce Commences with Noon Day Luncheon at Windsor Hotel.

Determined to make it short, snappy and successful, the 50 team workers in the Chamber of Commerce two-day membership increase campaign will meet at luncheon at the Windsor hotel at 12 o'clock today noon to set final instructions in the task of securing new members to replace those lost by removal from the city and similar causes, and to keep in line a few members whose dues for the past year have not yet been paid in full.

Enthusiasm aroused by the competition between teams of older members under Colonel A. E. Copley, who were challenged by teams of the Boosters under Colonel Ralph S. Wyckoff, is expected to put out the man on his mark to make quick start and a speedy finish to his share of the canvassing.

Miss B. Russell, one of the most competent men on the American City Bureau's field staff, will arrive on the morning train from Albany to assist the Chamber officials in directing the campaign and in other matters connected with the annual stock-taking week.

Announcement of the 40 leading accomplishments of the Oneonta Chamber during the past 11 months, as made in Saturday's Star, has played a big part in convincing the community of the organization. The record made by the Chamber since its reorganization campaign last January, as shown by the report, has caused many citizens to confer considerable commendation on the present Board of Directors for their noteworthy efforts for the betterment of Oneonta. Similarly, it has been recognized that greater support of the Chamber must be given to enable the solving of more important civic problems which must be undertaken for the good of Oneonta.

ADDITIONAL ROADS OPEN.

Worcester and Stamford Highways Plowed out for Motor Traffic.

Motor traffic is now moving without hindrance between this city and the villages of Worcester and Stamford, the roads having been plowed out making a good path for motor vehicles. The big plow of the Auto club attached to the bus of Martin & Maynard of the Cooperstown bus line made the trip to Worcester and return on Thursday and there is a clean wide track, wide enough for vehicles to pass, and traffic is proceeding, some Oneontans making the trip to Worcester and return yesterday.

F. R. Brown, who does trucking between Stamford and Oneonta, improvised a snow plow for the front of his big five-ton International truck, which clears only a pathway for the wheels of trucks. With this he succeeded in plowing his way through from Stamford over the Harpersfield hill, on which he encountered some heavy drifts, it being rare that deeper drifts are found on the Stamford side of the hill. He managed to reach a point within a mile or so of Davenport on Friday and Saturday forenoon he completed the task from that point to this city.

Mr. Buck of the Stamford bus line had made the trip the day previous from his home in Harpersfield, made the round trip from Stamford on Saturday and expects to keep in regular operation until another snowfall at least. He reports that the road is not open beyond Stamford toward Grand Gorge, but that it is open from Stamford to Hobart, the Sheffield trucks having opened that section.

First Philharmonic Concert.

The first of a series of concerts planned for the winter and spring months will be given by the Garden's Philharmonic orchestra at the Oneonta theatre on the evening of January 31 in conjunction with the regular program of motion pictures. The orchestra has a membership of nearly 80 and has been holding weekly practices for some time. At the concert on January 31, which will be the first of its eighth season and the 25th in the history of the organization, there will be several solo numbers by local vocalists to be announced later.

Luther League Sleigh Ride.

The Luther league of the Lutheran church of Afton will hold a sleigh ride Friday evening, Jan. 20th. Sleights will leave the church on Grove street promptly at 7 p. m. All members of the congregation and their friends are invited, but the committee in charge must know how many to prepare for. Anyone wishing to go, please inform Mrs. H. L. Styles, (Telephone 175-W) on or before Wednesday, Jan. 18th.

United Commercial Travelers.

Oneonta council, No. 385, United Commercial Travelers have planned a series of entertainments for the benefit of members, their wives and sweethearts. The first of these will be known as Ladies' Night and Dance and will be held at Municipal hall on Friday evening, February 3. The Oneonta Syncopators have been secured to furnish the music and among the attractions will be a number of old-fashioned square dances which are sure to please. A large attendance is already assured for this first entertainment and everybody is guaranteed a royal good time. adv 11

Have Your Piano Tuned.

C. K. Beaman, well-known Piano Tuner, is in town for the winter. Phone all orders to Howland's Music House, 49 Chestnut street, City. Prompt attention. Work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. adv 100-11

Recreation club dance at High school tonight. Instruction for beginners from 8 to 8:45 by John Canning. Dancing 8:45 to 11. Syncopated orchestra. Admission, 25 cents a person. adv 11-12

Notice.

Girls Wanted on power sewing machines. Steady work. Riverside Manufacturing company, corner Chestnut street and Fonda avenue. adv 11

Will sacrifice 1921 Buick sedan with \$200 worth of accessories. No reasonable offer turned down. Address: Buick 21, care of Star office. adv 21

The Chikorelli Barber shop, below the postoffice, now has two first class barbers and guarantees all work. adv 61

Fresh Ward's cake at Palmer's grocery. adv 31

FIVE HUNDRED EXPECTED

Knights of Binghamton Meeting Friday Night Will Draw Many From Away—Charles F. Farmer of New York to Act as Grand Master.

Plans made by the committee in charge of the banquet and initiation of Redanary Cavern, Knights of Binghamton, to be held at the state armory on Friday evening indicate that the occasion will be the most momentous in the history of the local organization. Arrangements are being made to take care of fully 500 candidates and members and that number may be increased before the eventful night.

Word has been received from Cooperstown and Richfield that a special trolley car filled with candidates and members will be run from each town. Large delegations are also expected from Binghamton, Carlisle, Scranton, Unadilla, Worcester, Sidney, Schoenewand and Otego. Frank O. Sherman, the grand master of Redanary cavern, is in general charge of the arrangements. The meeting will be presided over by Charles F. Farmer, formerly of Oneonta but now of New York City. Mr. Farmer has been Grand Master at many successful meetings of the cavern in the past and was the unanimous choice of the members to engineer this most important affair. Robert O. Marshall is in charge of the banquet and the fact that he has ordered 350 pounds of turkey is an indication of what can be expected. Members of the Eastern Star will assist in serving.

C. O. Underman is in charge of the "cortage gangs" and promises that the neophytes will be well taken care of by his men. H. D. McLaury will have charge of providing for the wants of the members and Harry C. Bard will "goathead," or in other words, will look after the candidates. An orchestra has been engaged to furnish music during the banquet. A musical program has been arranged for additional moments during the ceremonies and it is expected that community singing will be a feature.

ADAM AND EVA OPENING PLAY

Famous Myrtle-Harder Company Commence Weeks' Engagement at Oneonta Theatre This Afternoon.

The famous Myrtle-Harder company needs little if any introduction to the theatre goers of Oneonta. The play selected for their opening performance today, "Adam and Eva," one of the snappiest and most captivating American comedies of the season, which ran on Broadway to record business for over a year. Critics unanimously declared it to be the genuine comedy success of the season.

The story of "Adam and Eva" revolves around James King, a rubber baron, who is blessed with a large family. Among the children is Eva, the youngest daughter, whose hand is sought by Dr. Delamater. Accordingly the family plots with this young doctor and convinces King that he is ill and must take a trip for his health in order that they may continue to revel in extravagance. This scene, however, just suits him, for King has long wanted to see a bit of adventure, and he has set off for South America while the management of his home affairs is left to Adam Smith, his young business manager. In fact Adam is placed temporarily in authority over the King household as its father. The young man has romantic dreams of freedom and acquires some valuable information as he pays the family bills and settles the family's problems. The unusual and amusing situations thus created develop many humorous complications and leads to surprising consequences. "Adam and Eva" will be presented today at 8 p. m. and Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. The Girl in the Limousine, Tuesday Grace Valentine's big New York success, "The Cave Girl," an ingenious story of the Maine woods with a primitive type girl Wednesday.

SNOW REMOVAL PROBLEM.

Public Works Commission Requests Trial of Its Plan.

There seems to be a wide difference of opinion relative to the best method of disposing of the snow along the business section and the commissioners of public works, desiring to conserve their funds as much as possible, requests the business men along the street to unite in trying out their plan, which if found unsatisfactory will be changed.

It is their desire that in case of a snowfall that the snow from the walks be piled in neat, squarely built piles on the outer edge of the walk, using about four feet of space back from the curb. This, it is believed, will leave a space for traffic both in the street and on the walk.

The removal of large quantities of snow, the commission suggests, is very expensive, largely due to the lack of really efficient method of doing the work. The fact that for every dollar the department is allowed there are needed two dollars for permanent improvements. The members of the commission are desirous of using what money they have placed at their disposal for the best interest of those who provide it and only ask careful consideration and a test of the method suggested.

The regular monthly dance of the degree team of the P. H. C. will be held at Municipal hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Dancing from 8 to 12. Collier's orchestra will furnish music. Admission couple 50c. Ladies 25c. adv 11

We have a large variety of goods on our bargain counter. Come in and save some money. Palmer's grocery, 125 Main street. adv 31

B. H. C. regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in Trainmen's hall. Regular business, followed by initiation. adv 11

Glenwood ranges at Fred M. Baker's hardware. adv 21



At The Strand Starting Today. A Real \$2.00 Attraction at Popular Prices.

ASSIGNED TO COMPANY G

Lee H. Thorpe of Binghamton Will Act as Lieutenant in Local National Guard Company—State and Federal Inspection Wednesday.

Lee H. Thorpe of Binghamton, formerly an officer in the machine gun company there, has been assigned by Adjutant General Kingsland to Company G of this city as a Lieutenant. Mr. Thorpe is now in the city and expects to locate here permanently. During the World War he saw service as an aviator and is amply qualified by both experience and military knowledge to assume the duties to which he has been assigned. Of late he has been employed in the United States mail service at Binghamton. On Wednesday of this week the annual inspection and muster of Company G will be held at the armory. The inspection of the building and equipment will be held in the afternoon and in the evening the company will be inspected. The officers in charge of the inspection will be Major Ittner, representing the state, and Major Faulkner, who will act for the federal military authorities. Major William Donner, who is in command of the battalion of which Company G is a unit, will also be present.

ALL-IMPORTANT GAME

High School Must Defeat Schenectady to Claim Sectional Honor—Team is Practising Hard for Game With Traditional Rivals.

With Cobleskill put out of the way Oneonta High school basketball team is now directing all its energies toward preparation for the game with Schenectady High school to be played here Friday evening. The game is the most important contest remaining on the local schedule for upon its outcome depends local hopes of a sectional championship. At Schenectady some weeks ago the Electric City team defeated Oneonta in a particularly close and hard fought game. Coach Riley's men are out to avenge that defeat and are confident that their rivals of long standing have a surprise in store for them on Friday evening. Schenectady has a fast team and of late has been winning from everyone in the Capital district. The local boys are aware of the fact that the coming contest will be the hardest of the season and are planning intensive practices during the week. Yellow and White cheer leaders are busy on new songs and yells for the game and it is probable that a student mass meeting will be held to arouse enthusiasm for the all-important contest.

Company G Band Rehearsal.

On account of the inspection at the armory on Wednesday evening, the Company G band rehearsal has been postponed until Thursday night. There has been much interest shown in the work of the band and nearly every rehearsal brings out the full complement of members. There are several members living in surrounding towns and that they brave the wintry weather and the difficulties of country roads to come to the city for rehearsals is an indication of their interest in the organization.

Purchase Lot on Walling Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Anderson have purchased of the Walling Land company, through Ceperly & Morgan, a building lot on Walling boulevard and may later build an up-to-date bungalow thereon.



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IRON, SHIPS, FOODSTUFFS

Statistics for 1921 continue to come
in in all branches of business. Among
others those compiled by the Iron
Trade Review show that the world's
iron and steel production sank for the
year to a low level, which may never
again be equalled.

In 1918 the world produced almost
twice as much steel and more than
twice as much pig iron as last year—
namely, 74,696,000 tons of pig iron
against 40,700,000 last year and 76,
594,000 tons of pig iron against 35,
910,000 last year. At the highest
point of war production the steel
output in 1918 was 60,000,000 tons.
Today the world's pig iron capacity
is probably about 70,000,000 tons and
steel output about 50,000,000 tons.

Our own exports of iron and steel
turned from a low level starting with
September and gradually worked
higher, reaching a total in November
of 122,500 long tons—0.000 tons in
excess of October's figures. Exports
for the eleven months total 2,050,723
tons—a rate for the year which
would represent about 47 per cent of
the total tonnage exported in the year
1920.

The United States today has a
smaller percentage of the world's
shipbuilding than before the war, ac-
cording to Lloyd's Register of Ship-
ping. Three months ago France, It-
aly and Italy were constructing ton-
nage than this country but in each
of them is building more. The
decline in shipbuilding extends
throughout the world, and at present
is more than 1,000,000 gross tons less
for the quarter ending December 31,
1921, than for the preceding quarter.
The British output dropped off
440,000 tons, the American about
216,000 tons, and other countries
combined about 225,000 tons. The
total world's tonnage under way at
present is 3,358,000 and is rapidly
approaching the pre-war figure. On
June 30, 1914, it was 2,546,000 gross
tons. The present British total is 1,
918,000 tons and in 1914 was 1,747,
000 tons. In the United States the
present total is 216,000 tons, com-
pared with 148,000 tons before the war.

The United States exported 21,000-
000,000 pounds of foodstuffs during
the last year—over three times as
much as before the war (8,000,000-
000 pounds) according to the De-
partment of Commerce. Of meat
products, we exported, during 1921,
about 50 per cent more than the pre-
war average of vegetable oils prac-
tically six times as much, and of dai-
ry products about 11 times as much.
The report adds that exports still
continue heavy in volume is shown by
the fact that for the new wheat
crop beginning July 1st, we have ex-
ported 151,000,000 bushels, against the
pre-war average of 71,000,000 bush-
els, or about two and one-half times
as much. We have exported about
eight times as much rice and three
times as much cotton since Novem-
ber 1.

WORK SHOWS GOOD PROGRESS

Here Are Some Facts Regarding
Junior Extension Projects in
New York State.

Ithaca, Jan. 15.—The following
facts regarding Junior Extension, or
Junior Project work as carried on in
New York during 1921 were made
public today.

The work was conducted in 44
counties. Sixteen of these counties
employed paid county leaders to or-
ganize and supervise the work. Three
counties employed two full-time lead-
ers eight employed one full-time
leader and the employed leaders on
half-time. In the other 28 counties
the work was conducted voluntarily by
county agricultural and home demon-
stration agents, teachers of voca-
tional agriculture and home making and
interested individuals in cooperation
with district superintendent of schools.

A total of 13,064 boys and girls were
regularly enrolled for the work. More
than 70 per cent were in the 16 coun-
ties employing paid leadership.

Financial Support

The work is supported financially
by local funds supplemented by state
and federal funds. A maximum of
\$1,200 of state and federal funds is
available when one full-time leader
is employed.

Local or county funds are usually
obtained by appropriations by county
board of supervisors. The average
appropriation by boards of supervisors
is \$2,774.03.

Other sources of local funds are
banks and county banks associa-
tions, town and county fair associa-
tions, county improvement associa-
tions, county extension associa-
tions, county commerce associa-
tions, county school associa-
tions, and private subscriptions.
The average amount from these
sources in organized counties is \$1-
826.13.

The average budget for counties
employing one or more full-time lead-
ers is \$4,724.01.

The total value of products reported
by Junior Extension workers in
1920 was \$188,167.70. The cost of
production was \$127,718.25.

No Duels for Two

The former prime minister of Hun-
gary, Count Stephen Bethlen has re-
fused to fight a duel with Count Sig-
ismund, one of the most powerful sup-
porters of the Emperor Charles. He
states in explanation that the "duel"
for which Count Sigismund challenged
him—namely that he had charged the
count with treason—was not the act
of an individual but of the head of
the state, and that the head of the
state as such did not fight duels. The
matter was one to be decided by the
courts instead of by dueling, rifle
and pistol for two. — [New York
Tribune.

THE PRESS AND THE PUBLIC

Old Time Panics

Here is a page from an old diary
September 15, 1877. Jay Cook &
Co. Bankers of New York, call a
financial panic is precipitated. The
New York Clearing House is forced
to suspend. The president of the
banks meet in council to devise ways
of relief. President Grant declines to
accede to the bankers' request to aid
the banks with the treasury. A loan of
\$41,000,000. There are no banks and
private bankers and many strong
business fail during the ensuing ten
days.

Americans lately have been talking
about business depression. Compared
with some of the old time panics
depression is easy. Get grandpa to tell
you about 1877. Then you'll appre-
ciate the Federal Reserve banking
system, the shock absorber. — [Litch
Herald-Dispatch.

Nation's Greatest Port

It is important if it is desirable
that the port of New York be developed
and we believe it is—that the
work be done without politics in the
intelligent, capable, comprehensive
manner that is contemplated in the
splendid plan that the bi-state
commission offers as the result of its
four years' work. — [Schenectady Uni-
on-Star.

Auto is Horse

The boy who can take an automob-
ile to pieces repair it and put it to-
gether can hardly be expected to ex-
press rapturous admiration when I
tell him of my experiences as a hostler.
My labors with the curbside and
brush and the cleaning of the stable
do not establish me in his mind as a
herculean figure. To him the horse
is all but negligible a ridiculous beast
bound for the museum of natural history
and already maddened and the
automobile. If pressed I should be
obliged to admit that an automobile is
a far more delightful medium of trans-
portation than the horse. — [Meredith
Nicholson in Harper's Magazine for
December.

State Situation

The passing of a political dynasty
involves all manner of speculation, but
there is no occasion for Republicans
in Pennsylvania to be seriously per-
turbed over the situation created by
the sudden death of Senator Penrose.
His death has left a great void in party
leadership but it does not mean
follow that there cannot be found
those sufficiently trained and well
grounded in the principles of the party
ready to grasp the colors and fitted
to carry them forward. — [Harrisburg
Telegraph.

Keeping Business from Grate

Investigation in several cities of a
number of industries having to do
with the building trades has resulted
recently in the imposition of jail
sentences upon various individuals. * * *
Business is far too powerful a
weapon of public welfare to be allowed
to become incriminated with abuse.
The very existence of the trade depends
upon its being in the main clean.
There is no known substitute to do the
work of the world. — [Saturday Even-
ing Post.

Trial of Western Statesmanship

If the agricultural bloc succeeds in
swallowing the Republican party, it
may raise new issues and bring about
great changes in the party aspect that
President Harding will find it difficult
to recognize it as his own at the end of
his administration. On the other
hand, it is more likely that he will
gently and wisely guide it along lines
of real development and progress in
accord with his views. But however
that may be, western statesmanship,
rather than eastern, will have the di-
rection of domestic legislation in the
senate. — [St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

What About Gas?

The production of crude oil a week
or so ago in the United States ex-
ceeded all previous records, the figure for
the week being 1,497,750 barrels—
and gasoline is made of crude oil.
The reason that a record was being
set is because a new oil field has been
discovered and put at work. The field
is in Texas. At the same time,
there never was so much crude oil in
storage. This is a happy situation for
the 10,000,000 persons who drive auto-
mobiles and trucks. — [Utica Observer.

Pinches Bitten by Dog

Charles Sheldon of 47 London ave-
nue had several fingers torn by the
teeth of his pet water spaniel while
playing with the dog at his home Sat-
urday evening. Dr. Hendrick cau-
terized the wounds which it is not ex-
pected will prove serious as the dog
showed no symptoms of being mad.
Mr. Sheldon was teasing the dog and
was not quite quiet enough in re-
moving his hand from the animal's
teach.

Wells Given Suspended Sentence

The case of Leonard J. Wells, ex-
tobacco dealer who was arrested
Wednesday on charge of vagrancy and
whose counsel requested a postpone-
ment when he was arraigned Thurs-
day morning was brought up in City
Court Saturday. A sentence of 60
days in the Albany penitentiary was
imposed by Judge Huntington. It
was suspended upon condition that
the man pay all of the debts he owes
locally.

Enjoyable Surprise Party

About forty of the friends and
neighbors of Mrs. D. J. Sullivan gave
her an surprise birthday party at her
home 20 1/2 Division street last eve-
ning. A delicious luncheon added to
the pleasures of the evening. Mrs.
Sullivan was the recipient of many
presents of cut glass and silver.

Wanted—Good reliable worker for
keeper of Glenwood cemetery, One-
onta, N. Y. Near public school street
cars run to State Normal school, de-
sirable residence, city water, state
road. One of the finest cemeteries
between Albany and Binghamton.
Personal interview desired. D. A.
Defendorf, Wilber National Bank
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Fire Insurance on your home and
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Largest and best companies only.
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street. Phone 151. advt m-11

Recreation club dance at High
school tonight. Instruction for begin-
ners from 8 to 8:45 by John Canning.
Dancing 8:45 to 11. Sponsors' or-
chestra. Admission, 25 cents a per-
son. advt m-11

Phone 371 at 688-T for closed taxi
or light truck. L. King. advt. 61

NEW COMMANDERY FORMED

Dispensation from Grand Command-
er Hanford Creates Otsego Com-
mandery, Knights Templar, at
Cooperstown—Oneonta to Its Jur-
isdiction and Many from City Are
Charter Members.

Of great interest to members of
the Masonic fraternity in Oneonta
and Otsego county is the announce-
ment that Right Emminent George C.
Hanford grand commander of the
Grand Commandery, Knights Tem-
plar of the State of New York, has
granted dispensation for a new
Commandery at Cooperstown, to be
known as Otsego Commandery. The
officers named in the dispensation
who are charged with the responsi-
bility of organizing the new Com-
mandery, are: M. E. Lippitt, eminent
commander; Burton G. Johnson, gen-
eralissimo, and George H. Carley,
captain general.

The formation of Otsego Command-
ery is one of the most important
events in the Masonic history of this
vicinity and is the culmination of
planning and intensive work dating
back nearly a year. It was necessary
to gain the consent of the Command-
eries from whose jurisdictions the
new body would have to draw its
members but that was soon accom-
plished and when Grand Commander
Hanford visited Cooperstown last Au-
gust, at the time of the Masonic fair,
and voiced his approval, after a per-
sonal investigation of conditions and
an inspection of Masonic hall, in which
the new Commandery will meet, the
success of the project was assured.

Otsego Commandery will have
within its jurisdiction nearly all of
Otsego county and a part of Delaware
and Schoharie counties. Oneonta will
be included within the jurisdiction,
the dispensation transferring it from
the jurisdiction of Norwich Com-
mandery. There are about 100
Knights Templar in the city, and it
is expected that most of them will de-
part from their mother Command-
eries to Otsego. Most of the Oneonta
Knights are now members of the
body at Norwich, but quite a few, es-
pecially among the older members,
belong to Malta Commandery at
Binghamton.

There are 25 charter members of
the new Commandery, 15 of them
living in Oneonta. Nearly all of the
Oneonta men belonged to Norwich,
while the charter members residing in
Cooperstown were most of them
members of Little Falls Com-
mandery. On January 22, meeting
of the charter members will be held
at Cooperstown at which time de-
tails of organization will be perfected.
It will take some weeks to get the
necessary paraphernalia, but it is ex-
pected that the first class will be in-
stituted in March or April. With the
large number of Sir Knights and eli-
gible candidates residing within the
jurisdiction of the new Commandery
there seems to be no reason why the
organization should not soon boast of
at least 100 members and be as four-
ishing as are its contemporaries in
the state.

ONEONTA MAN BANKRUPT

Louis Leon Simmons Files Voluntary
Petition in Federal Court.

Utica, Jan. 15.—Louis Leon Sim-
mons, chairman of 327 Chestnut
street, Oneonta, files voluntary peti-
tion in bankruptcy in federal court
here Friday with unsecured liabilities
of \$610 and assets of \$360 exempt
from paying debts. The assets in-
cluded a U. S. uniform and a helmet.
The petition was filed through At-
torney John G. Johnson.

Among the 16 creditors are A. B.
Pierce, \$107; W. O. Brannaman, \$5;
McClure & Bost, \$25; Fred Campbell,
\$25; Morris Bros., \$25; Brown &
Turner, \$40; Max Greenburg, \$10; H.
W. Sheldon, \$73; Dr. Brand, \$5;
Francis Motor Sales company, \$8; A.
M. Butts, \$4; Oneonta Herald, \$8,
and Randall & Clute, \$19. All of One-
onta and Fred Joyce of Unadilla, \$130.

Farm Campaign in Delaware

The farm bureau campaign for
membership in Delaware will be
started in a short time throughout
the county. Though the county, like
most others throughout the state, has
gone on a \$5 annual membership
basis it is believed that it can easily
be put across. This is indicated by
the fact that Town Campaign Manager
H. Roper of Hagersfield has canvassed
a portion of his township and has re-
ceived a 50 per cent increase over last
year.

A. L. Wall Declared Insane

Alfred L. Wall of 42 East End ave-
nue well known in the city as a
sign painter and decorator has been ad-
judged insane by Drs. F. H. Marx and
N. W. Getman and on Saturday papers
were signed by Justice A. L. Kellogg
committing him to the State hospital
at Binghamton. He will be taken
there by a hospital attendant this
morning. For two years past his con-
duct has not been normal but it was
not until recently that his condition
became so serious among his relatives
and friends.

Recreation club dance at High
school tonight. Instruction for begin-
ners from 8 to 8:45 by John Canning.
Dancing 8:45 to 11. Sponsors' or-
chestra. Admission, 25 cents a per-
son. advt m-11



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getic Chamber of Commerce to any
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citizen who fails to lend his sup-
port to his local civic and business
organization is neglecting the in-
terest of his community and con-
sequently his own interest, and is
lacking in public spirit and civic
pride.
Attorney General Daugherty.

LEGION COMMITTEE MEETS

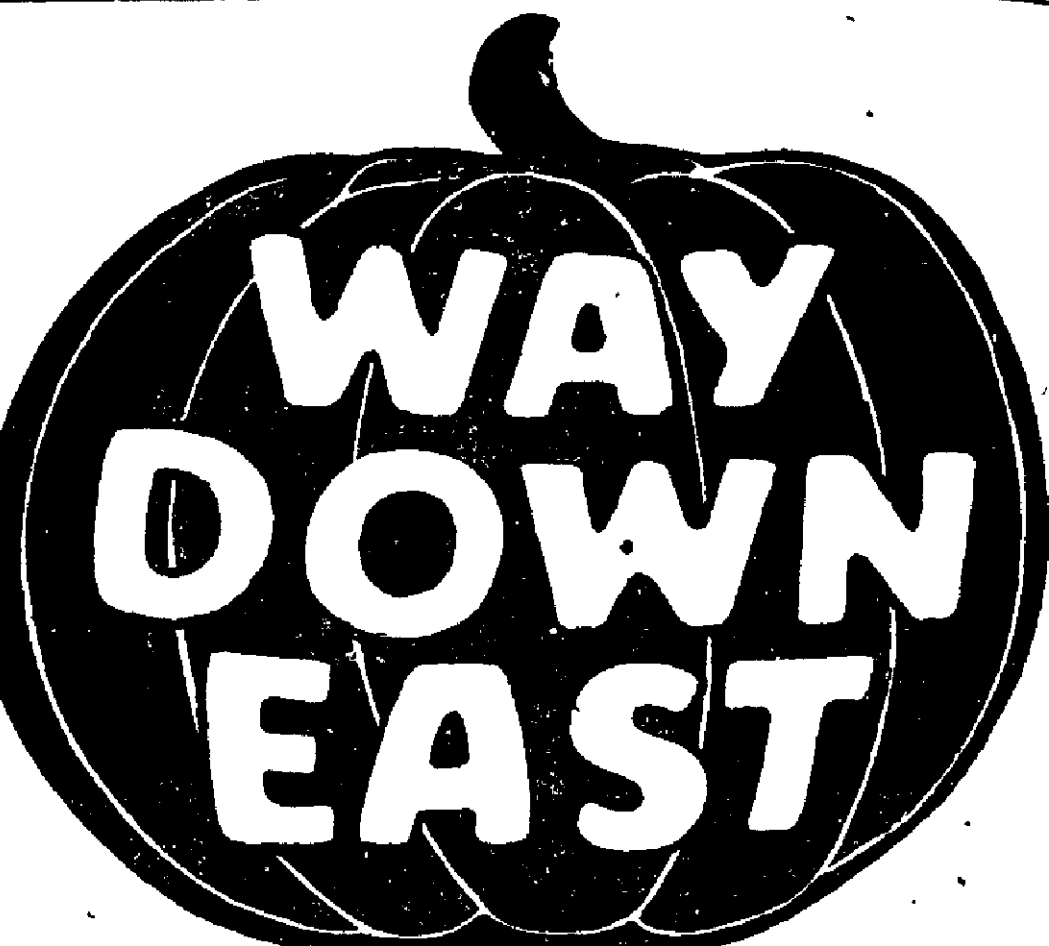
County Organization of American Le-
gion Elects Local Men Officers
for 1922.

The first quarterly meeting for 1922
of the Otsego County committee of the
American Legion was held in this city
yesterday afternoon, five of the seven
members of the committee being pres-
ent. Oneonta post was represented by
Ralph S. Wyckoff, John A. Sitts and
Herbert C. Getman, Unadilla post by
Mr. Mills and the post at Richfield
by Luther Ferguson. The other two
posts in the county, located at Coop-
erstown and Worcester, sent no repre-
sentatives.

The meeting was held for the pur-
pose of organization, the following
officers being chosen:
Chairman—Ralph S. Wyckoff
Secretary—John A. Sitts
Treasurer—Herbert C. Getman.
A resolution was adopted providing
that the members of the committee
visit each post in the county at least
once during the year.

A Bargain.

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bills daily to every customer, and he has his
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Suit or Overcoat

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Overcoats — our entire stocks; splendid quality woollens
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Leading the Isbels against Lee and his band of cattle rustlers was Jean Isbel, who at the same time found himself madly in love with a girl from whom he was apparently separated by an impassible barrier.

There is a situation based on fact, but Zane Grey has handled supreme. All of the literary quality that has characterized Zane Grey's former books has been embodied and enhanced in "The Last Man."

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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

8 a. m.	21
2 p. m.	48
8 p. m.	25
Maximum 48	Minimum 14

SATURDAY'S RECORD

8 a. m.	9
2 p. m.	24
8 p. m.	14
Maximum 26	Minimum 8

LOCAL MENTION

The Oneonta club smoker has been postponed from Wednesday evening of this week until Wednesday evening of next week on account of the repairs being made at the club.

No one appeared to take the state civil service examinations scheduled for Saturday last in Oneonta. Two were scheduled, one for library assistant and the other for assistant civil engineer.

The candy sale held at Huston's Drug store Saturday afternoon by the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church was well patronized and added \$3 to the organization's treasury.

Mayor C. C. Miller has reappointed Sheldon H. Close as registrar of vital statistics for the city for a period of five years. This office is independent of that of city clerk and the incumbent must meet with the approval of the state department of health. Mr. Close's reappointment is in recognition of his faithful performance of the duties in past years.

A very interesting session of the Burroughs club was held on Saturday last with Mrs. Harry M. Goldsmith on Chestnut street. The paper of the evening was by Mrs. Morton L. Ford. Her theme was "The Grand Canyon of Colorado," and her remarks were illustrated by many views of the canyon, taken from points of scenic interest. The next meeting of the club will be held in February with Mrs. O. C. McCrum.

HIGHWAY MEETING IN CITY

County Officials and General Public Invited to Session on Thursday.

The State Highway commission has given notice that there will be a public meeting on Thursday of this week at 1 p. m. in Municipal hall in this city. The purpose of the meeting is to furnish such general information and instruction as may be necessary regarding the construction, improvement or maintenance of the highways and bridges and the application of the highway law, and the rules and regulations of the department and also for the purpose of hearing complaints. This notice is given pursuant to the provisions of the highway law, and all officials whose duty it is to attend such meetings are expected to be present, and all other officials and the general public are urged to attend if interested in highway matters.

County Superintendent V. L. Hoike, who on Tuesday and Wednesday attended the County Superintendent's conference at Albany, will preside at the meeting on Thursday. The speakers of the day will include Fred Buck of Afton, representing the state department in town highway work, and Van Lawyer of Cobleskill, district supervisor of highways. This is the annual meeting held by the State Highway department in Otsego county, and it is the intention to make it of interest and benefit to the whole county.

Meetings Today.

Stated communication Oneonta Lodge, No. 466, P. & A. M., tonight at 8 o'clock. Work, Master Mason degree.

Special meeting tribe of Ben Hur Monday evening.

Regular meeting of B. R. C. in Trainmen's hall tonight at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Rose camp, No. 257, Woodmen of the World, in Firemen's hall at 7 p. m. sharp. All members requested to be present.

Bible Study class, group 4, will meet tonight with Mrs. Terrell, 110 Spruce street.

Regular meeting of Cho. Art. Art. society Monday evening, January 16, at 7:30, at Municipal hall.

Regents' Examinations Today.

Regents' examinations will be held in the following subjects at the High school building today.

9:15 a. m. Intermediate algebra, advanced algebra, solid geometry, shorthand 1 and 2, elementary representation.

11 a. m. Elementary English, English 2, 3, 4.

At the State Normal school, where Regents' examinations are held in elementary subjects only, the only examination scheduled for today is Elementary English at 1:35 p. m.

Woman's Club

All club members are invited to attend the district meeting called by Mrs. Mary McKinnon chairman of the sixth district, to be held at the Monday afternoon club house in Binghamton next Wednesday, January 18. Members planning to attend will please notify Mrs. Howard Frazier before noon today.

Commercial Travelers' Meeting.

Oneonta council, No. 333, United Commercial Travelers, have planned a next regular meeting at Odd Fellows' hall Friday evening Jan. 20. Owing to the Knights of Binghamton holding their meeting the same evening, the Commercial Travelers will hold their meeting at 7 o'clock sharp. It will be a short and snappy session so that they may get through in ample time for those who desire to attend the other meeting. Let every member be on hand early so that the meeting may be opened promptly at 7 o'clock. Initiation of some candidates adv. 11

Here's a new one—Read and then consider. Fifty acres, good house, basement, bath and hen house running water to house and barn, within six miles of city, nearly all state road, price \$2,200 on easy terms. Smith & Postle, 170 Main street. adv. 21

For Rent

Oneonta Dancing Academy hall for social functions and private dances. For reservations call or write C. J. Gilligan, Oneonta hotel. adv. 61

Wanted Maple Syrup at Palmer's grocery. adv. 71

Plumbing and heating at Fred M. Baker's hardware. adv. 21

The Chicorelli Barber shop, below the postoffice, now has two first class barbers and guarantees all work. adv. 61

Free-lard cake at Palmer's grocery. adv. 31

At the Strand Starting Today, A Real \$2.00 Attraction at Popular Prices.

CAMPAIGN OPENS TODAY

Two Days Intensive Effort to Maintain Membership in Oneonta Chamber of Commerce Commences with Noon Day Luncheon at Windsor Hotel.

Determined to make it short, snappy and successful, the 50 team workers in the Chamber of Commerce two-day membership increase campaign will meet at luncheon at the Windsor hotel at 12 o'clock today noon to get final instructions in the task of securing new members to replace those lost by removal from the city and similar causes, and to keep in the front members whose dues for the past year have not yet been paid in full.

Enthusiasm aroused by the competition between teams of older members under Colonel A. E. Ceperley, who were challenged by teams of the Boosters under Colonel Ralph S. Wyckoff, is expected to put every man on his merit to make a quick start and a speedy finish to his share of the canvassing.

Miegs B. Russell, one of the most competent men on the American Civic Bureau's field staff, will arrive on the morning train from Albany to assist the Chamber officials in directing the campaign and in other matters connected with the annual stock-taking. adv. 11

Announcement of the 40 leading accomplishments of the Oneonta Chamber during the past 11 months as made in Saturday's Star, has played a big part in convincing the community of heretofore derived from ample support of the organization. The record made by the Chamber since its reorganization campaign last January, as shown by the report, has caused many citizens to confer considerable commendation on the present Board of Directors for their noteworthy efforts for the betterment of Oneonta. Similarly, it has been recognized that greater support of the Chamber must be given to enable the solving of more important civic problems which must be undertaken for the good of Oneonta.

ADDITIONAL ROADS OPEN.

Worcester and Stamford Highways Plowed out for Motor Traffic.

Motor traffic is now moving without hindrance between this city and the villages of Worcester and Stamford, the roads having been plowed out making a good path for motor vehicles. The plow of the Auto club attached to the bus of Martin & Mainhart of the Cooperstown bus line made the trip to Worcester and return on Thursday and there is a clean wide track, wide enough for vehicles to pass, and traffic is proceeding, some Oneontans making the trip to Worcester and return yesterday.

F. R. Brown, who does trucking between Stamford and Oneonta, improved a snow plow for the front of his big five-ton International truck, which clears only a pathway for the wheels of trucks. With this he succeeded in plowing his way through from Stamford over the Harpersfield hill, on which he encountered some heavy drifts. It being rare that deeper drifts are found on the Stamford side of the hill. He managed to reach a point within a mile or so of Davenport on Friday and Saturday forenoon he completed the task from that point to this city.

Mr. Buck of the Stamford line had made the trip the day previous from his home in Harpersfield, made the round trip from Stamford on Saturday and expects to keep in regular operation until another snowfall at least. He reports that the road is not open beyond Stamford toward Grand Gorge, but that it is open from Stamford to Harpersfield, the Stamford trucks having opened that section.

First Philharmonic Concert.

The first of a series of concerts planned for the winter and spring months will be given by Gardner's Philharmonic orchestra at the Oneonta theatre on the evening of January 31 in conjunction with the regular program of motion pictures. The orchestra has a membership of nearly 80 and has been holding weekly practices for some time. At the concert on January 31, which will be the first of its eighth season and the fifth in the history of the organization, there will be several solo numbers by local vocalists to be announced later.

Luther League Sleigh Ride.

The Luther League of the Lutheran church of Atoneement will hold a sleigh ride Friday evening, Jan. 20th. Sleighs will leave the church on Grove street promptly at 7 p. m. All members of the congregation and their friends are invited, but the committee in charge must know how many to prepare for. Anyone wishing to go, please inform Mrs. H. L. Stiles, (Telephone 175-W) on or before Wednesday, Jan. 18th.

United Commercial Travelers.

Oneonta council, No. 333, United Commercial Travelers have planned a series of entertainments for the benefit of members, their wives and sweethearts. The first of these will be known as Ladies' Night and Dance and will be held at Municipal hall on Friday evening, February 3. The Oneonta Synchronizers have been secured to furnish the music and among the attractions will be a number of old-fashioned square dances which are sure to please. A large attendance is already assured for this first entertainment and everybody is guaranteed a royal good time. adv. 11

Have Your Piano Tuned.

C. K. Beaman, well-known Piano Tuner, is in town for the winter. Phone all orders to Howard's Music House, 49 Chestnut street, City. Prompt attention. Work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. adv.-cod-31

Recreation Club dance at High school tonight.

Instruction for beginners from 8 to 8:45 by John Canning. Dancing 8:45 to 11. Synchronizers' orchestra. Admission, 25 cents a person. adv. m-11

Notice.

Girls Wanted on power sewing machines. Steady work. Riverside Manufacturing company, corner Chestnut street and Bond avenue. adv. 11

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FIVE HUNDRED EXPECTED

Knights of Binghamton Meeting Friday Night Will Draw Many From Away Charles E. Farmer of New York to Act as Grand Master.

Plans made by the committee in charge of the banquet and initiation of Redoubt Cavern, Knights of Binghamton, to be held at the state armory on Friday evening indicate that the occasion will be the most momentous in the history of the local organization. Arrangements are being made to take care of fully 500 candidates and members, and that number may be increased before the eventful night.

Word has been received from Cooperstown and Richfield that a special trolley car filled with candidates and members will be run from each town. Large delegations are also expected from Binghamton, Carbondale, Scranton, Lindville, Worcester, Sidney, Chenango and Otsego. Frank C. Sherman, the grand master of Redoubt Cavern, is in general charge of the arrangements. The meeting will be presided over by Charles F. Farmer, formerly of Oneonta but now of New York city. Mr. Farmer has been Grand Master at many successful meetings of the cavern in the past and was the unanimous choice of 15 members to engineer the most important affair.

Robert O. Marshall is in charge of the banquet and the fact that he has ordered 350 pounds of turkey is an indication of what can be expected. Members of the Eastern Star will assist in serving.

C. O. Biederman is in charge of the "cavert" games and promises that the novelties will be well selected. Of his men H. D. McLaury will have charge of providing for the wants of the members and Harry C. Baird will "goathead" or in other words will look after the candidates. An orchestra has been engaged to furnish music during the banquet. A musical program has been arranged for odd moments during the ceremonies and it is expected that community singing will be a feature.

ADAM AND EVA OPENING PLAY

Famous Myrtle-Harder Company Commence Week's Engagement at Oneonta Theatre This Afternoon.

The famous Myrtle-Harder company needs little if any introduction to the citizens of Oneonta. The play selected for their opening performance today, "Adam and Eva," one of the snappiest and most captivating American comedies of the season, which ran on Broadway to record business for over a year. Critics un-animously declared it to be the genuine comedy success of the season.

The story of "Adam and Eva" revolves around James King, a rubber hunch, who is blessed with a large family. Among the children is Eva, the youngest daughter, whose hand is sought by Dr. Delamater. Accordingly the family plots with this young doctor and convinces King that he is ill and must take a trip for his health in order that they may continue to revel in extravagance. This scene, however, just suits him, for King has long wanted to see a bit of adventure, and sets off for South America while the management of his home affairs is left to Adam Smith, his young business manager. In fact Adam is placed temporarily in authority over the King household as his father. The young man has romantic dreams of freedom and acquires some valuable information as he pays the family bills and settles the family's problems. The comedy and amusing situations thus created do not many humorous complications and leads to surprising consequences. "Adam and Eva" will be presented today.

Al. H. Woods jolly joyride. "The Girl in the Limousine" Tuesday Grace Valentine's big New York success, "The Cave Girl," an ingenious story of the Maine woods with a primitive type girl Wednesday.

SNOW REMOVAL PROBLEM

Public Works Commission Requests Trial of Its Plan.

There seems to be a wide difference of opinion relative to the best method of disposing of the snow along the business section and the commissioners of public works, desiring to conserve their funds as much as possible, requests the business men along the street to unite in trying out their plan, which it found unsatisfactory will be changed.

It is their desire that in case of a snowfall that the snow from the walks be piled in neat square built piles on the outer edge of the walk using about four feet of space back from the curb. This, it is believed, will leave a space for traffic both in the street and on the walk.

The removal of large quantities of snow, the commission suggests is very expensive, largely due to the lack of a really efficient method of doing the work. The fact is that for every dollar the department is allowed there are needed two dollars for permanent improvements. The members of the commission are desirous of using what money they have placed at their disposal for the best interest of those who provide it and only ask careful consideration and a test of the method suggested.

The regular monthly dance of the degree team of the P. H. C. will be held at Municipal hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Dancing from 8 to 12. Collier's orchestra will furnish music. Admission couple \$5. Ladies 25c. adv. 11

We have a large variety of goods on our bargain counter. Come in and save some money. Palmer's grocery, 125 Main street. adv. 31

B. H. C. regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in Trainmen's hall. Regular business, followed by initiation. adv. 11

Glennwald ranges at Fred M. Baker's hardware. adv. 21

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ASSIGNED TO COMPANY G

Lee H. Thorpe of Binghamton Will Act as Lieutenant in Local National Guard Company—State and Federal Inspection Wednesday.

Lee H. Thorpe of Binghamton, formerly an officer in the machine gun company there, has been assigned to Adjutant General Kimball to Company G of this city as a Lieutenant. Mr. Thorpe is now in the city and expects to locate here permanently. During the World War he saw service as an aviator and is amply qualified by both experience and military knowledge to assume the duties to which he has been assigned. Of late he has been employed in the United States Mail service at Binghamton.

On Wednesday of this week the annual inspection and muster of Company G will be held at the armory. The inspection of the building and equipment will be held in the afternoon and in the evening the company will be inspected. The officers in charge of the inspection will be Major Reagan representing the state, and Major Faulkner, who will act for the federal military authorities. Major William Donner, who is in command of the battalion of which Company G is a unit, will also be present.

ALL-IMPORTANT GAME

High School Must Defeat Schenectady to Claim Sectional Honors—Team is Practicing Hard for Game With Traditional Rival.

With Cobleskill put out of the way Oneonta High school basketball team is now directing all its energies toward preparation for the game with Schenectady High school to be played here Friday evening. The game is the most important contest remaining on the local schedule for upon its outcome depends local hopes of a sectional championship. At Schenectady some weeks ago the Electric City team defeated Oneonta in a particularly close and hard fought game. Coach Riley's men are out to avenge that defeat and are confident that their 11-vals of long standing have a surprise in store for them on Friday evening.

Schenectady has a fast team and of late has been winning from everyone in the Capital district. The local boys are aware of the fact that the coming contest will be the hardest of the season and are planning intensive practices during the week. Yellow and White cheer leaders are busy on new songs and yells for the game and it is probable that a student mass meeting will be held to arouse enthusiasm for the all-important contest.

Company G Band Rehearsal.

On account of the inspection at the armory on Wednesday evening, the Company G band rehearsal has been postponed until Thursday night. There has been much interest shown in the work of the band and nearly every rehearsal brings out the full complement of members. There are several members living in surrounding towns and that they brave the wintry weather and the difficulties of country roads to come to the city for rehearsals is an indication of their interest in the organization.

Purchase Lot on Walling Boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer G. Anderson have purchased of the Walling Land company, through Ceperly & Morgan, a building lot on Walling boulevard and may later build an up-to-date bungalow thereon.

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SQUIRE BARTLETT DRIVES ANNA FROM HIS HOME, SCENE FROM "DOWNGRIFTHS" WAY DOWN EAST AT THE STRAND STARTING TODAY. A REAL \$2.00 ATTRACTION AT POPULAR PRICES

DEATH OF JAMES JOHNSTON.

Respected Resident of Meredith Township Dies Wednesday.

Meredith, Jan. 15.—James Johnston, a resident of this village, who on account of failing health had been living with his daughter, Mrs. George Peck, near Meredith, died Wednesday about 4 o'clock of heart trouble. He was a native of Ireland, coming to this country when quite young. The first settled in the town of Kortright, later purchased a farm in the town of Meredith and has remained in the town the remainder of his life. His wife died several years ago.

He leaves to mourn his demise a daughter, Mrs. Mary Peck, above mentioned; two sons, Robert Johnston, who lives on the Johnston homestead in Meredith, and George Johnston of Walton, and one brother, George Johnston, also of Meredith. The funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Presbyterian church, Rev. R. J. Lockhart officiating. Burial in Pine Grove cemetery, Meredith. Mr. Johnston was about 71 years of age.

Funeral of Mrs. Patrick Howe.
The funeral of Mrs. Patrick Howe, who died at Cooperstown early Saturday morning, will be held from the home of Samuel Estes, 15 Cherry street, Tuesday, at 9:30 a. m. Rev. Father Noonan officiating. The body will be placed in the vault at the Plains cemetery. Mrs. Howe, who was 74 years of age, was a life long resident of this section. She is survived by her husband, who resides at Cooperstown.

Service, quality, satisfaction, is what you will get if you place your next order for coal with Elmer D. Boorn, 6 Market street, Phone 340, advt. 17.

Be at the Gift and Toy shop your self or send representative Friday, January 20, at 5 o'clock sharp. This is the last time. Advt. 18.



It is only fair to your family that you should give them the very best of foods upon all occasions. If this is your idea of the matter, you ought at once to get acquainted with our bread and other bakery goods. Your family will give them a hearty welcome, and you'll remember to order our bread and pastry.



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DEATHS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Blakely.
Mrs. Elizabeth Blakely, since 1891 a resident of this city, passed away at her residence, 2 East street, Saturday last. She had been ill for about two weeks and on Saturday morning suffered a shock, from which she never regained consciousness. The funeral services will be held from the home Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. P. M. Canavan, of the United Presbyterian church will officiate and the body will be placed in the vault at the Plains cemetery for interment later.

Her maiden name was Elizabeth Vile and she was born in Bristol, England, 69 years ago last September. She came to this country when a young woman 16 years of age and located at Alplina, Mich. She was united in marriage with Mark Masters when 19 years of age and they continued to reside at Alplina and Port Huron. Mr. Masters died in 1882 and three years later she married the late David Blakely, who was then on a visit in Michigan. Following their marriage they came to his home in Davenport, where they remained for about 11 years, removing to Oneonta in 1897, and she has since remained a respected resident. Mr. Blakely died in 1904.

For some 18 years Mrs. Blakely conducted a grocery store in this city, first on Center street and later, after she sold the store and residence, continued at 2 East street, where she has since resided. There she continued the business until about four years ago, when she sold the business and leased the store to F. W. Whitcomb.

Surviving are two children by the first marriage, Walter J. Masters of Walloon Lake, Mich., and Mrs. Edith M. Blakely of this city, by one daughter by the second marriage, Mrs. Esther C. Vincent of Hillsdale, and by four grandchildren. To these, sympathy of many friends will be extended. Mrs. Blakely had been for years a member of the United Presbyterian church at Davenport, retaining her membership there, but during her residence here being a liberal contributor and an attendant of the church here. She was also for years active in the W. C. T. U. She was respected and beloved by all who knew her as a woman of superior qualities of mind and heart.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Mary Judd.

A. L. Judd received on Saturday afternoon announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. Mary Judd, occurring the previous evening at the home of her son, Emory Judd, at New Bedford, Mass. The funeral party will pass through Oneonta this evening on the 6:45 D. & M. train enroute to Windsor where the funeral will be held on Tuesday with interment in the cemetery by the side of her late husband. Mrs. Judd was formerly and for years a resident of Windsor and was well known and much respected there. She passed last winter at the home of her son here and is well remembered here. She leaves six children. Mr. Judd being the only one residing in this section.

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing between Cortland A. Wilber of Binghamton, N. Y., and Clarence B. Bailey of Oneonta, N. Y., conducting a battery of electric sales and garage business at 200 West Market street, Oneonta, N. Y., has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Bailey having taken a position with an Automobile concern in Syracuse.

Special. CORTLAND A. WILBER, CLARENCE B. BAILEY, advt. 19.

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FAIR SOCIETY OFFICERS

Former Managers Re-elected with Long List of Honorary Vice Presidents Named at Annual Meeting of Stockholders Held at Wilber National Bank Saturday.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oneonta Union Agricultural society held at the Wilber National bank, Saturday last, the following officers, superintendents and vice presidents were elected for 1922:

President—Hon. Walter L. Brown, Vice President—George L. Wilber, Treasurer—Henry M. Ford, Secretary—W. Earl Parish.

Executive committee—George L. Wilber, D. A. Diefendorf, Walter L. Brown.

Directors—Walter L. Brown, Irving E. Howe, George L. Wilber, Arthur E. Ford, Blakely R. Ford, D. A. Diefendorf, Louis E. Howe.

Department superintendents—Elizabeth M. Blakely, Ladies' department; Fred N. VanWine, Floral parlors; Mrs. H. S. Keen, Old relics; Charles D. Townsend, Treasures; Morris Ackley, Hosiery; Quincy B. Parish, Cattle; Charles N. Murdoch, Sheep and Swine; H. S. Keen, Fruits and Vegetables; Lyle Clifford, Poultry.

Honorary Vice Presidents—Hon. Warren C. Harding, Washington, D. C.; Hon. Nathan L. Miller, Albany; Hon. James Wadsworth Jr., Genesee; Hon. John D. Clark, Delhi; Hon. Stanton C. Shaver, Albany; Hon. Charles A. Welton, Cobleskill; Hon. George W. Fairbank, Oneonta; Hon. Allen J. Bloomfield, Richfield Springs; Hon. Abraham L. Kellogg, Oneonta; Hon. Laven P. Butts, Oneonta; Hon. Julian C. Smith, Oneonta; Henry E. Huntington, Oneonta; Hon. Clarence C. Miller, Oneonta; Clark Congdon, Oneonta; Bertus C. Lauder, Oneonta; N. Irving Bolton, Oneonta; Harold H. France, Oneonta; Clifford B. Morris, Oneonta; Edward R. Deery, Oneonta; Edwin W. Elmore, Oneonta; Everett Hicks, Oneonta; Harry W. Lee, Oneonta; Andrew B. Saxton, Oneonta; M. P. Leamy, Oneonta; Luman E. Brown, Oneonta; West Oneonta; Charles H. Millard, Laurens; W. C. Smith, Mt. Vernon; George B. Lough, Hartwick; Walter E. Litch, Cooperstown; George H. Gardner, Cooperstown; C. A. Graves, Cooperstown; Floyd S. Barlow, Cooperstown; Burton G. Johnson, Cooperstown; Edward S. Clark, Cooperstown; Frank M. Smith, Springfield; Edward D. Conklin, Richfield Springs; Wellington L. Morris, Millford; Charles D. Armstrong, Millford; Charles D. McLaney, Portlandville; C. Sextus Morris, Portlandville; John T. McElroy, Maryland; Herbert Bernard, Schenectady; Charles W. Merrill, Schenectady; George B. Clifton, Worcester; Arthur Dunn, Richmondville; Sherman Burdick, Otisco; Hon. Leland M. Cowles, Chautauq; Arthur Bird, Sidney; Gertrude Roberts, Davenport; Hon. John P. Grant, Stamford; Hon. Louis P. Raymond, Franklin; Tracy Strickland, Meridale; Honore D. Hartford, East Mendon; Edgar T. VanBuren, Holland; Charles H. Naylor, Morris; Louis H. Morris, Morris; Allen Tork, Rockwell; Miles, John C. M. Schenectady; Leonard F. Loren, New York; J. T. Loran, Albany; E. P. Gaudin, Albany; Edward Cockshall, Kingston; F. Wayland Ayre, Philadelphia; Mary W. Harriman, Ardent; Helen Gould Shepard, New York.

Stock the Trout Streams.
Now is the time to send in your application to the Conservation Commission of the State of New York for trout fry or fingerlings. Blank cards can be obtained by addressing the following: Conservation Commission, Albany, N. Y.

No charge is made for the fish, but applicants must agree to receive the fry and arrange for their distribution and placing in the streams.

Stocking the trout streams is very important and those who are interested should attend to the matter at once. Applications must be in the hands of the Conservation Commission by February 1st, 1922.

This Finger Amputated.
Benson Hamilton of Oneonta, who about three weeks ago had a portion of one finger taken off in a plane, is now at the Fox Memorial hospital, where the finger was amputated by Dr. Cutler, blood poisoning having set in before coming to the hospital. It is hoped that it will be possible to save the remainder of his hand. His friends have hope for an early and complete recovery.

Safety First Committee to Meet.
The Safety First committee of the Schenectady division of the D. and H. will meet this afternoon in the office of Superintendent M. J. Leamy. Besides local members of the committee, J. H. Long, Superintendent of Safety and M. C. Belcher, Division Safety agent, will be in attendance.

Births.
Born, January 14, at the Fox Memorial hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Slavson, of 4 South avenue, a seven-pound daughter, who has been named Virginia Ruth.

\$100 cash prize. 1917 Black, I need the cash. 1917 Black, I need the cash. 1917 Black, I need the cash. advt. 22.

Copper, aluminum and specialties at Fred M. Baker's hardware store. advt. 23.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Herman VanCott of Cambridge are guests of the latter's brother, C. J. Westcott, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. E. Goodrich of 24 Cedar street spent Saturday with friends in Binghamton.

Mrs. Charles Kelly of this city was a guest over Sunday of her son, Glenn, in Binghamton.

Miss Ethel Mayne of Sidney, who had been visiting Oneonta friends, returned home Sunday.

Edward M. Homan departed Saturday evening on a business trip to Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Wastles of Elmira, who for several days had been guests of Miss Alice Pearl, Elm street, departed for home last evening.

Peter Chikari and Nick Georgeson of this city left yesterday for Winston-Salem, N. C., where they will visit the latter's sister, Mrs. Cravises.

Mrs. William VanCott of Phoenix Mills, who had been visiting Mrs. Harry Merensow, 64 Main street, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Davenport of Cooperstown was in Oneonta yesterday on her way home from a week's vacation spent with friends in Scranton, Pa.

Miss Josephine Carley of East Sodus was in Oneonta Saturday on her way to visit her brother, Charles Carley, of Millport.

Mr. J. Woodhouse of 432 Main street left Saturday for a few days' sojourn at the home of his father in Rockwell Mills.

Mrs. George Delrick of 197 Chestnut street, this city, is the guest for a week of her sister, Mrs. George Reede, in Norwich.

Mrs. Elias Rickard of Worcester returned to her home in Worcester yesterday after a week spent with her sister, Mrs. Harriet Ferns, of this city.

Golden VanCott and Miss Angelina VanCott of Sidney, who had been visiting at the home of J. S. Dyre, at Maple street, returned home last evening.

Mrs. J. D. Hall of Davenport was in Oneonta Saturday on her way to Worcester, where she visited her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Manley J. Preston, leave Sunday.

The many friends of Bert Calkins of 125 Main street will be greatly pleased to hear he is on the way to recovery after his illness of three weeks' duration of pneumonia.

Mrs. J. W. Peters of Newark, N. J., who had been visiting her brother, J. Dana Whipple, in Cooperstown, was in Oneonta yesterday on her way home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tallmadge of South Side spent the week-end with the latter's sister, Mrs. E. C. Lake, and mother, Mrs. Charles Deakin, in Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McFee left Saturday for Cherry Valley, where on Sunday they attended the funeral of a cousin, Joseph Wilds, a well-known resident of northern Oneonta.

C. M. Witchoff of this city was in Binghamton Sunday, occupying the pulpit of the Lutheran church. Mr. Witchoff is a student of theology at Hartwick Seminary.

Frank Shaver and daughter, Mrs. E. L. Barton, of Bainbridge, who had been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tenbroeck and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Shaw of this city, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kirkgard of Laurens, the former a student of theology at Hartwick Seminary, were in Oneonta Sunday. Mr. Kirkgard is preaching in St. Matthew's Lutheran church in that village.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Purcell have returned from Merrick, Ontario, where they were called by a message announcing the death of the husband of a sister of Mrs. Purcell, and where they had been spending several days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sculley, lately of 24 Miller street, have moved to Binghamton, where they are located at 25 1/2 Pine street. Mr. Sculley, who is a well-known D. and H. fireman, lately led in a run from Binghamton, which necessitated removal to that city.

Miss Minnie Shearer arrived home Sunday evening from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Alphonse, at Newark, N. J. On the return trip she halted at Albany for a few days' visit with friends in that city. She returns in improved health, having been benefited by the sojourn in Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shaffer of Schenectady arrived in Oneonta Saturday for a few days' visit with the former's sister, Mrs. T. E. Blanchard. Mr. Shaffer expects in a short time to leave for South America, in the interests of the General Electric company, with which as illuminating engineer he has long been employed. At the great exposition to open in September next at Rio Janeiro, he will have entire charge of the installation of the illuminating plant. Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer expect to be absent about a year.

Copper, aluminum and specialties at Fred M. Baker's hardware store. advt. 23.

WEDDED AT ST. MARY'S.

Miss Beatrice Giglio Becomes Bride of Nicholas J. Moffre.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church was the scene of a pretty wedding Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, when Miss Beatrice Catherine Giglio became the bride of Nicholas J. Moffre. Both the well-known and respected members of Oneonta's Italian colony. They are making their home at 1 Brookside.

The nuptial mass was celebrated by Father John Murphy, assistant pastor of St. Mary's. The bride and groom were attended by three couples—Frank Moffre and Miss Mary Powell, Joseph Bagnardi and Miss Phoebe Isabelle and Joseph Pizzo and Miss Rosa DeGusta. Miss Powell wore a gown of orchid crepe de chine trimmed in silver lace, with picture hat to match. She carried a bouquet of pink and white roses and carnations. Miss Isabelle's gown was a peach colored crepe de chine trimmed with baby blue, with a picture hat to match. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and roses. Miss DeGusta was gowned in pink and white silk with hat to match and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and roses. The flower girl was Jenny Kelly, whose dress was of white embroidered net, with hat to match. She carried a basket of pink and white carnations. Mary DeGusta and Mary Peracchi were the charming train bearers. They were dressed in white with floral wreaths on their heads.

The bride presented an attractive appearance in a gown of white georgette trimmed with satin. Her veil was of white net, caught with orange blossoms. She carried a large bouquet of bride's roses.

Following the ceremony, which was witnessed by a large company of the young couple's relatives and friends, a reception was held at the bride's home, 14 Susquehanna street, where a delicious dinner was served to about 150 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Moffre later proceeded to their new home, but plan to leave this week on a wedding trip.

Mr. Moffre has been a resident of Oneonta for the past six years. He is well-known among railroad men, being an employee of the transportation department of the D. and H. company, and a member of the local lodge of E. of C. P. and E. He is also a member of the local American Legion post, having served overseas with the American army during the World War and making an excellent record. His bride, who is the daughter of Mrs. Rosa Giglio of 14 Susquehanna street, is an attractive young woman. Her girlhood days were spent in Oneonta, but seven years ago she journeyed to Italy, where she resided until three months ago. Both bride and groom will receive the hearty congratulations of their many friends, and best wishes for a happy wedded life.

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Everything in my store must go, including fixtures. I am taking possession of my new store at Walton, N. Y., where I recently purchased a block. To avoid moving my stock, I will place my entire stock of clothing and furnishings on sale, as stated above. This is certainly your last chance. Every careful buyer must take advantage of these wonderful offerings. This is a chance of a lifetime.

Men's and Young Men's Suits, top serges and silk mixtures; the highest value ever offered. Regular price \$15; sale price **\$19.50**

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, all hand tailored, plaid backs, real snappers; selling all over for as high **\$29.94** as \$50. Sale price

Men's and Young Men's Overcoats; selling all over for \$25. Sale **\$9.98**

Three Hundred near all Wool Dress Pants, all colors; some real heavy; worth, \$5 to \$10. Going at this sale **\$3.75** for

About 175 pairs of some of the best Corduroy on the market; selling all over for as high as \$5 and \$6. My **\$2.79** sale price

Remember This Is Your Last Chance; Everything Must Go in Ten Days

BENNIE SIMONS

Men's Corduroy Vests, Blanket wool lined, double breasted; all sizes; worth \$5. **\$2.19** Sale price

Men's Woolen Hose; biggest value ever offered. Must **19c** go at

Ladies' Suits, Dresses, Coats, Waists, Skirts, Children's Coats, Raincoats, Underwear for everybody in the family, and thousands of other articles too numerous to mention will sell at any old price.

Let us solve your washing and ironing problem this winter.

Rough Dry (flat pieces neatly ironed—balance ready for ironing) 10 cents a pound for first ten pounds, 9 cents for each additional pound. Minimum charge 60c.

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ONE OF THE MANY SWEET SCENES IN D.W. GRIFFITH'S "WAY DOWN EAST"

At The Strand Starting Today. A Real \$2.00 Attraction
At Popular Prices

Klipknockie Boys Dinner at Hotel McAlpin, N. Y.

Hundred Former and Present Oneontans Renew Friendships
and Pledge of Loyalty to Old Home Town

Mayor Miller Sends Greetings

Responses by Hon. Charles Smith, Sen. W. M. Calder and
Pres. Blodgett with Impromptu Speeches by Numerous
Others—T. J. Mooney Chosen Pres. for Next Year

At the annual dinner of the Klipknockie club, held in the Colonial dining room at Hotel McAlpin in New York city on Saturday night, were gathered about 80 former Oneontans, new residents of the metropolis and its environs and seated with them and enjoying equally with them the delightful occasion were nearly a score of residents of this city, many of whom made the trip especially to attend. Admittable are the appointments of the suite on the third floor of the McAlpin, on an occasion of this kind, with attractive parlors and other rooms. At an early hour Saturday evening the members of the club and guests commenced arriving and the exchange of greetings was most cordial. It being apparent that the residents of the metropolis, with perhaps some few exceptions, see each other no more frequently than at these reunions or no more frequently than they do these friends who attend from the old-home town. The reception continued for an hour or more and it afforded many very happy reunions, the faces of some former Oneontans being observed for the first time at one of these times.

At 7 o'clock the doors of the dining room were thrown open and the merry company were seated, the tables being abundantly and richly spread and so arranged that all the diners were grouped about the speakers' table. Hon. Charles Smith, president of the Citizens' National bank and director of the Federal Reserve bank in New York, was the guest of honor and seated with him at the first table were the president of the club, Clarence Swift, former secretary of the Oneonta, Y. M. C. A., who in the same genial and social fellow that welcomed the boys and young men to the association rooms her a third of a century ago, and the other speakers, Hon. William M. Calder, United States Senator, and Dr. Frank D. Blodgett, former mayor of this city and a State Normal faculty professor, now president of Adelphi college in Brooklyn. With them at the speakers' table also were Henry E. Tobey, ex-club secretary, former President T. D. Tallmadge, Leon E. Reynolds and A. E. Richardson, and the following visitors from the home city: Hon. George W. Fairchild, C. C. McCrum, to whom is accredited first suggesting the club, Cashier M. C. Hemstreet, Dr. A. H. Brownell and Arthur M. Butts, as also were County Judge C. G. Welch of Edinboro and Neilson court in the Bronx and Dr. Arthur Thompson of Troy.

Seated at other tables and scattered among former residents were the following from Oneonta: M. G. Keenan, J. A. Dewar, A. J. Bush, C. H. Bennett, John J. Elwood and T. W. Stevens, Edward L. Brown, Leroy E. House and other younger men from the city now pursuing studies in New York. Captain Augustus M. Fairchild of West Point, Sherman H. Fairchild of Oneonta and New York, and John A. Reynolds and H. A. Chapin of Albany were also among the guests.

Greetings from Mayor Miller. The dinner, one of the best of its kind in every feature, including the band of the Oneonta, N. Y. had progressed not far when a messenger arrived bearing a note, brought by American Beauty, and with it the following message from Mayor Clarence C. Miller, the recipient of which resulted in prolonged cheers.

"The heart of Oneonta resides for a little while in the crimson roses before you, meeting you, such a sturdy and true for the world, bursting with love for such a display of loyalty and bound with the silken cord of recollection of the days when you helped to build the old-home town."

To Leon D. Reynolds, a former president of the club, was entrusted the pleasant task of framing a message of appreciation and gratitude to Mayor Miller for his felicitations.

Happy Responses

President Swift presented T. D. Tallmadge, the artist, also former

president of the club, to welcome the members and guests. Mr. Tallmadge, always in cheerful mood when reflecting upon memories of Oneonta, said that the members assembled, bringing fresh laurels to the shrine of the City Beautiful nestled among the hills of the Upper Susquehanna valley, life in which, he declared, had made easier and easier our way. After some pleasant references to the guest of honor and to the other Oneontans in attendance, he urged each loyalty to that displayed to the old home, to the city and nation, suggesting that one and all be alert against the evils of Bolshevism and other fancies that threaten us.

Hon. Charles Smith, the guest of honor, responded in happy vein to the hearty greetings accorded when presented, and voiced his pleasure to mingle with the members on this occasion. He said that when he arrived in Oneonta 30 years ago this fall, it numbered only about twelve hundred inhabitants and that it had been his pleasure to see it grow to as many thousands. He declared that it has been his constant aim to aid in every possible way its advancement. He thanked the gathering for among all the honors that have come to him in Masonry, political and financial circles and among all the friends he has been privileged to gather during the years, he prizes most the honor of being a citizen of Oneonta and the old friends at home and of the home town, temporarily away.

Senator William M. Calder was presented to the gathering by Assistant District Attorney A. E. Richardson of Brooklyn and in his opening remarks, Mr. Calder referred to the honor that has come to Oneonta from the career of Mr. Smith and to his services to the nation as a member of the Federal Reserve bank directorate and after commending the club for this honoring that gentleman, the speaker alluded to his friend, former Congressman Fairchild and asserted that few of his fellow citizens back home realized the influence he exerted during his term and still exerts at the nation's capital and said that his services at Washington had given Oneonta distinction there that few cities of its size enjoy. Senator Calder then turned his attention to national affairs and gave much valuable information, told interestingly, however, relative to them. He advocated a reduction in the surtax on incomes that would bring out at least twenty billion of dollars from tax exempt securities and into business exchange. He contrasted conditions in America with those in Germany, where workmen are receiving an equal of 25 cents as a daily wage.

Dr. Blodgett was the last speaker of the fest and his response was accorded a most cordial reception. Though, being elsewhere, he asserted that he has come to look upon Oneonta as his native town, for there he gained inspiration and aspiration for the best. He cheered, he said, with tenderest regard the city, its people and its North and South and in all its activities he said he will take an abiding interest. He concluded in the gathering he said 21 minutes of the school. He commended the spirit of the gathering, which he declared to be typical of Oneonta in every way.

Others not upon the program, but who were called upon impromptu and who responded were: Former Congressman Fairchild, William D. Jones, C. G. Welch, T. W. Stevens, John W. Teague, Woodford H. Knapp, A. M. Butts, J. A. Dewar, M. C. Hemstreet, Dr. A. H. Brownell, A. E. Richardson, Dr. Arthur Thompson and Charles H. Woodhall.

Congressman Fairchild felicitated the members upon the gathering and upon their loyalty to the home town, while Mr. Fairchild had some happy reminiscences of those present. Dr. Thompson was always impressed with the competitive spirit, but without jealousy, prevalent in Oneonta. Mr. Woodhall now secretary of the Rotary club in Jersey City, spoke appreciatively of the early and given him

"WAY DOWN EAST" TODAY

D. W. Griffith's Greatest Picture Begins This Day Run at Strand Theatre.

D. W. Griffith's greatest picture, "Way Down East," which begins a five-day run at the Strand today, is characterized by all who have seen it as the best film ever produced. For years the great play carried its appeal to millions and its pictorialization is a distinct triumph of the motion picture art. It is a simple, old-fashioned story of plain people—a story of love, of humanity, of laughter. Music written especially for the production adds to the impressiveness of the various scenes. "Way Down East" is the first of the big 15 attractions which Manager Rose has booked at popular prices. The admission is 35c, the hours 2:30 in the afternoon and 6:45 and 9:05 in the evening.

For Sale—State road farm, 45 acres; good buildings; 11 cows; 2 yearlings; 2 horses; good set of farming tools; stop; running water; and a good laying farm. Price \$5,500. Cash \$2,500. Alfred Sutch, Oneonta Real Estate Agency, 53 Clinton street. Phone 1184-W. advt if

In Oneonta, and emphasized in his remarks that the citizens of Oneonta should recognize that the future of the country is dependent upon the consideration and support given the youth of the city by its leaders among the men and women of today. Much rest was added to the evening's enjoyment by the songs and music in which Harry Armstrong, one of the city's leading entertainers, led, and by the monologues that he occasionally injected.

Officers Chosen

Before adjournment and after the speeches were ended the following officers for the coming year were chosen: President, Thomas J. Mooney; vice president, Woodford H. Knapp; secretary, Henry E. Tobey; treasurer, C. C. Smith; additional directors, E. M. Vosburgh, Herbert Taylor, K. G. Russell, Harvey Street, John McGee, F. W. Morley, James A. Dugan, John F. Mann, F. W. Saxton, and R. H. Clark.

NOTES FROM THE LIBRARY

American Legion Men Will Be Interested in New Volume—Circulation and Permanent Readers.

The library has secured an interesting and valuable book—The American Army in France, 1917-1919. It consists of color prints from pictures by J. P. Bouchor, official painter to the French army, with explanatory text by Capt. David Greer, and an introduction by Lieut.-Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

The book is a large folio and not for circulation, but will be on exhibition on the reading room table, second floor. It will undoubtedly be of special interest to the men in service, but as a work of art and a piece of vividly presented history will make appeal to other readers.

As the Huntington Memorial library was rated second, on the score of circulation, of the cities of the state for the past library year, July 1 to June 30, 1920-21, with a circulation of something over 70,000 titles, or a per capita of 612, it is interesting to know that for the calendar year just past the circulation has been \$2,757, a per capita of 771.

The present enrolled membership of permanent readers is 4249; in the first two weeks of January 81 new members have been added, and it is gratifying to see that 22 of these are children under 12.

Local Knights at Schenectady

Among the members of Oneonta council, Knights of Columbus, who journeyed to Schenectady yesterday to witness the conferring of the first second and third degrees by the council of that city were James Hupie, Thomas Hurley, John McGill, E. R. T. Hayhoe, George Long, Francis Foley and Alfred Surkin. Thomas Hurley was one of the candidates for the third degree. The meeting, which was largely attended by members of the order from points in the vicinity of Schenectady was held in commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Schenectady council.

Boy Cuts Knee in Ski Fall

Bruce, the 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Orr, of South Side, received a bad cut on his right knee when he fell on a sharp rock while skiing on the hill in back of his home Saturday afternoon. The fall was one such as any skier is apt to take many times during an afternoon's pleasure and would not have resulted seriously had not the boy's knee come in contact with a jagged rock. He was assisted to his home by companions and Dr. Handwick was called. It was necessary to take several stitches to close the wound.

Birthday Surprise Party

The friends and neighbors of Mrs. Leon Foster gave her a very pleasant surprise party Wednesday evening at her home at 34 Valleyview street. Mrs. Foster was called out to the home of one of her neighbors and when she returned was surprised to find that she had a house full of company. All had a very pleasant time, leaving for their homes at a late hour, wishing Mrs. Foster many more happy birthdays.

Dreamland Is No More

The name of Dreamland has been changed by C. Frank Himman, under whose supervision the place is now being conducted, to the Oneonta Dancing academy. The gratifying attendance on Saturday evening was an indication that the hall can be made justly popular under the more wholesome conditions imposed by Mr. Himman.

A Three Months' Subscription to The Star for \$1.50.

KEMP'S BALSAM
For the COUGH!

The Auto Show

In New York is over. All the wonderful new cars have been seen, cussed and disussed. Prices have been revised to pre-war levels or lower, quality considered, and there is even some talk that prices may be higher in the spring.

Yes, we went to the show with the idea of seeing and learning all we could. Naturally we wanted to see the new Studebaker models, but there was such a jam of people around the exhibit all the time that we had to be content with looking over what the other makers had to offer. They showed some pretty good looking cars, too, but interest seemed to center on Studebaker more than any of the others.

Another thing: We learned while there that during the month of December there were more Studebakers delivered in the metropolitan district than any other make, including Ford.

When they asked us how Oneonta was coming on Studebaker Sales, we told them that she is gradually waking up, and that we think that within the next sixty days she will be fully alive to the fact that Studebaker is offering the most wonderful values ever shown by any manufacturer of automobiles.

In conclusion: Anyone interested in the purchase of a car this spring would do well to leave their order with us within the near future for one of the new models, as the factory will never be able to build them fast enough to supply the demand once the season opens.

Come to our store and get the new prices.

The Francis Motor Sales Co.

299 Main St.

Oneonta, N. Y.

USED CARS

1 1919 Buick, fine condition .. \$450
1 1917 Mitchell runabout, fine condition .. \$450
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1 1918 Ford delivery truck .. \$250
New Diamond Grid batteries, one third off.

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Unclaimed Articles

Left on cars of Southern New York Power & Railway Corporation

Saturday, January 21st, at 1 P. M.

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By Order of E. D. CONKLIN, Gen. Freight & Passenger Agent

\$1.00 - ONE DOLLAR - \$1.00 PRE-INVENTORY SALE

Remarkable Dollar Day Proposition
Here's The Biggest Thing You've Seen

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A Man's All Wool Suit

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Your Choice of This High Grade Stock of

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S WEARABLES AT \$1.00

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This store never offers anything it cannot deliver, and in our coming sale we shall do just this thing—sell you an all-wool Suit or Overcoat for \$1.00, valued up to \$40.00. Watch this paper for dates and particulars. In the meantime lay aside that dollar—you'll want to give it to us very soon.

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